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Gen. McNaughton Back in Canada

OTTAWA (CP)—Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, commander of the Canadian Corps Overseas, told a press conference this afternoon he had returned to Canada "for about a month" to look into army administrative matters.

Mrs. McNaughton came back with her husband.

Gen. McNaughton told a press conference that although he had been given a clean bill of health in a recent physical examination, his physicians had advised him that he should rest for three or four weeks before returning to the line.

First word of Gen. McNaughton's trip had come in an announcement from defence headquarters on the authority of Defence Minister Ralston.

He returned to the Dominion, it was stated, for a brief visit to discuss with authorities matters relating to administration of the Canadian forces in the United Kingdom.

The department statement said Gen. McNaughton, after a period of illness last autumn, now was "completely recovered.

CRERAR COMMANDS

During his absence from Britain, the statement added, the Canadian Corps will be under the command of Lieut.-Gen. H. D. G. Crerar, G.O.C. of a Canadian division, and until recently Chief of the General Staff, Ottawa.

Fully recovered from illness . . . Lt.-Gen. McNaughton.

While the information was not contained in the department statement, it was learned that Maj.-Gen. J. P. Mackenzie of Vancouver, the new Quartermaster-General and former officer commanding Divisional Engineers overseas, also is in Canada.

With him is Maj.-Gen. J. C. Murchie, Edmundston, N.B., the new vice-chief of the Canadian general staff.

City Planners Oppose Selling Civic Property

The Pandora Avenue bottleneck, from Quadra to Douglas Street, should be eliminated and there should be no selling now of city-held property that will have to be bought back in later years to carry out the widening, said L. A. Gale of the Victoria Parks and Planning Association, today, after it was announced the city intended to sell off all reverted property it holds in the business area.

Mr. Gale said the association had invited aldermen to meet with its members tonight in Room 8, Winch Building, 640 Fort Street, to discuss post-war planning, but as a result of the City Hall announcement it was decided to throw the meeting with the aldermen open for a general discussion of city planning policy. Harry Hollins will be chairman.

"It is a pity they are putiing all this property back on the market," said Mr. Gale. "Because of traffic increase, the narrow part of Pandora Avenue should be widened to between 120 and 150 feet. Victoria does not want another Dardanelles problem We should think ahead and post-war plan now for our business district."

The association was informed that Fred W. Davey was organizing a petition against planless disposal of city-held properties.

AUSTRALIA DRAFTS ALIENS FOR LABOR

MELBOURNE (CP) — Army Minister Francis Borde announced today that plans were being prepared to augment Australia's labor supply by drafting certain classes of aliens for work on non-military projects.

Mr. Forde said the aliens would be given two weeks to volunteer their services before being drafted.

At the same time it was disclosed the government had decided to spread munitions production to many inland centres by utilizing small factories, workshops and garages to make certain types of equipment.

The Australian press, meanwhile, acclaimed news of the United States navy's assault on Japanese bases in the Gilbert and Marshall islands as the first indication of the readiness and ability of American forces to take the offensive.

Starving Greeks Eat Weeds, Grass

BERNE (AP) — Hordes of starved and shivering Greeks roam the streets of Athens, living entirely on weeds and grass, the Budapest publication South-east Economist said today.

This first extensive survey of the Greek famine by any Axis magazine writer described how the people pulled weeds from crevices between the cobblestones.

The Turkish press has reported the critical Greek situation almost daily. The newspaper Ulus said that hundreds were dying daily and that hospitals were overflowing.

Final Bulletins

Victoria Youths To Receive Call

Between 20 and 30 Victoria youths will be among 200 throughout British Columbia to receive notice within the next few days to report to the Vernon Army Training centre, it was announced today. They are those who received 30 days' training in November, 1940, and who are being recalled under the National

Drive Toward Dnieper

NEW YORK (AP) — The BBC heard here by NBC this afternoon, said a Moscow broadcast had reported Soviet forces were "less than 20 miles from Dnieperopetrovsk," site of the big hydroelectric power dam on the bend of the Dnieper. The Russians were last reported within 37 miles of the city. The broadcast was heard here by NBC.

Leaman to Control Meat, Fish Prices

J. C. Leaman, grocery and meat shop operator in Victoria for the last four years and for 14 years before in charge of meat and fish at Woodwards, Vancouver, was today appointed meat and fish price chief for British Columbia under the Wartime Prices Board.

Other appointments today by W. R. Dowrey include:

Douglas Alexander, Vancouver Gyro secretary, to be enforcement inspector.

C. B. McAllister, former Alberta dry farmer, to be assistant to C. W. Brazier, enforcement counsel.

H. G. Smith for 31 years Regina wholesale grocer, to head wholesale and retail grocery control branch.

R. L. Davis, ex-professor of animal husbandry at U.B.C. and now with Brackman-Ker, to be agricultural division representative, food division.

Scores Critics

OTTAWA (CP)—J. Gray Turgeon, Liberal, Cariboo, told the House of Commons this afternoon he would support the plebiscite proposed by Prime Minister Mackenzie King to seek release of the federal government from anti-conscription pledges.

He said he was concerned at "some of the agitation" which was being carried on in the country.

"I often wonder whether some people who speak of leadership hate Adolf Hitler more or Mackenzie King more," he said.

"One of the truths of the present situation is that some people are anxious for total war against Germany only to the extent it will not interfere with their total war against Mackenzie King."

"I wanted the National Resources Mobilization Act extended because I could see the coming of war with Japan," he said.

"We in British Columbia and in Alberta are in a dangerous position. I am not so afraid of direct attack upon Vancouver or Esquimalt as I am of a positively planned attack across the Aleutian Islands and Alaska.

"Canada and the United States should thoroughly arm and train a large force of troops ready to ship into Siberia the moment Japan and Russia become entangled.

Big Herring Catch

NANAIMO (CP)—The herring catch in the Nanoose Bay area has now reached a total of 2,412 tons as a result of a catch of more than 1,400 tons by two boats in the last few days, it was reported today by J. F. Tait, supervisor of fisheries here.

Dr. Davidson Going To Big Ottawa Post

OTTAWA—Dr. George Davidson, director of Social Welfare for B.C., is to succeed Dr. Charlotte Whitton in the Canadian Council of Social Agencies, according to reports here.

Arrangements for the transfer of Dr. Davidson from Victoria, B.C., to Ottawa, on March 31, are to be discussed at the Social Agencies meeting here within the next few days.

Not Fooled By Quisling

HELSINKI (AP)—The Soyial-demokratti, first Finnish newspaper to comment on the elevation of Vidkun Quisling to the "premiership" in Norway, said today that only an insignificant fraction of the Norwegian people support him. An overwhelming majority of the people "continue to find it extremely hard to tolerate German occupation," said the paper.

Japs Held in Australia

CANBERRA (AP) — A considerable number of Japanese detained in other parts of the south-west Pacific war area, including women, have arrived in Australia for internment. Army Minister Francis Forde said they would be placed in special internment camps.

Higher Taxes

MELBOURNE (CP) — Senator Donald Cameron, Minister of Aircraft Production, said today the cabinet's decision to spend the equivalent of $15,000,000 on production of an Australian bomber and the allocation of other money to fighter and operational aircraft would mean higher taxes.

Safe at Least Till Dec. 25

OTTAWA (CP) — National Defence headquarters confirmed today that Lt.-Col. W. A. Home, officer commanding the Royal Rifles of Canada during the defence of Hongkong, was still alive Dec. 25, when the garrison surrendered to the Japanese.

Discuss Plans for Japs for B.C. Roads

Special to the Times

OTTAWA — Hon. Humphrey Mitchell, new Minister of Labor, is expected to fly here next week to discuss with the B.C. government the placing of Japanese on the roads of B.C.

It is understood Mr. Mitchell will be given $10,000,000 for the B.C. road work by the Japanese.

Final details have been worked out, but are being withheld pending election of Mr. Mitchell in Welland next Monday.

The B.C. government is now making road surveys and has promised the federal Department of Labor today every co-operation in the road plan for the Japs. All B.C. government equipment and machinery that can be spared will be lent to the Ottawa authorities.

It is understood here federal authorities are also anxious to use Japanese labor in development of the national parks in British Columbia.

Talk on Pacific War

LONDON (CP) — Aneta, the Netherlands news agency, said today that Prime Minister Churchill and Peter S. Gerbrandy, Netherlands Premier, discussed the war situation in the Pacific at a long conference Monday.

Pensioners' Bonus Starts April 1

The bonus of $5 a month to B.C. old-age pensioners will start April 1.

The $711,000 allowed in the budget 10 days ago is for the fiscal year 1942-43, which starts April 1.

Unless some special arrangements are made the pensioners will not get their increases for another two months.

Disappointment of the pensioners has been brought to the attention of the government and it is believed something may be done to tide them over the next two months.

'IF YOU ARE, OUT YOU GO,' SAYS THE PRESIDENT—President Roosevelt didn't mince words when he told Washington social parasites to get out and make room for war workers arriving at the capital at the rate of a thousand a week. Alese Buchanan scans the Washington, D.C., News headlines suggested by the President.

Singapore Battles Blitz Jap Planes Swarm In

By C. YATES McDANIEL

SINGAPORE (AP) — Wave after wave of Japanese bombers hurled high explosives at this great British bastion today while Nipponese troops concentrated at the tip of conquered Malaya for an attempt to storm the island.

With Imperial forces drawn up along the mile-wide moat of Johore Strait and watchful around the entire 70-mile perimeter of this stronghold, firemen and police were kept busy throughout the interior controling fires started by Japanese bombs.

(Only word of land action came from Chungking, where a Chinese military spokesman reported "virtual annihilation of the Japanese 16th Division at Johore Bahru, across the narrow Johore Strait." He added 10,000 bodies of Japanese from Johore had arrived at Saigon in French Indo-China.)

Enemy dive bombers added their fury to the attack, but the British communique said military casualties had been slight.

The United Nations struck back with a raid on the Kluang airdrome, 50 miles north, where many of the attackers were believed to be based.

A.R.P. Squads Clear Way for Fire Engines

In the section of Singapore city which bore the brunt of this morning's bombing, authorities and A.R.P. squads cleared away the debris within a few minutes to make way for fire trucks which quickly played water on a number of high fires.

When one of the shirt-sleeved civilians who was laying hose straightened up for a moment, I recognized Sir Shenton Thomas, Governor of the Straits Settlements. He was working alongside scores of natives.

Nearby Lt.-Gen. A. E. Percival, commander of the defending army forces, was directing men removing valuable materials from a warehouse in the path of the flames. Singapore's civilians and ranking military men plunged unhesitatingly into the most dangerous spots to localize the damage. Everyone, from the Governor down to coolies, bent to his task with vigor.

No Ground Action In Siege's 4th Day

Aside from the air attack practically no military action worthy of mention occurred during this fourth day of the siege.

The big guns poised along the narrow Johore Strait fired intermittently, but so far the targets have been well concealed.

The wail of air-raid sirens filled the air, off and on, throughout the day. R.A.F. reconnaissance showed a considerable movement of enemy troops southward through the green Malaya jungles.

Confident of their ability to make the invaders pay dearly for a mass assault across Johore Strait, imperial forces, kept sharp watch to thwart any repetition of the infiltration tactics which forced them to yield the Malayan mainland, but there was no sign yet of any ground activity.

Bombing activity was described by a communique as "considerable during the last 24 hours, high level and dive bomb attacks being carried out and causing some fires." Military casualties were slight.

British Counter With Blow at Kluang

The British command, countering the aerial blow with a bomber smash at Kluang, on the Malay peninsula above the Johore Strait, carried out a low-altitude attack on the Japanese-held airdrome and on enemy motor transport.

Military circles expressed belief the Japanese would try to win a foothold on the island either by dropping parachute troops or by slipping ashore from small boats under cover of darkness before launching a frontal assault.

They saw little chance, however, that such tactics would succeed, for they pointed out troops concentrated here have little more than 70 miles of coastline to defend.

With flying fortress bombers now helping in the defence of Singapore, smashing at Japanese airfields on the Malay peninsula, the atmosphere in the beleagured island citadel was far from pessimistic.

"There are a lot of itching fingers on rifles and machine guns," a British officer said quietly while British, Australian and Indian troops, rested after nearly two months of jungle fighting, kept watch for the opening Japanese attack.

Besides attacking Soerabaja, the Dutch East Indies' chief naval base, a formation of 26 Japanese bombers, strongly escorted by fighters, also pounded towns in eastern Java in what may have been the prelude to an invasion drive. A communique reported considerable damage and casualties.

Meanwhile, Gen. Wavell's headquarters announced new blows inflicted on the battered Japanese invasion armada in Macassar Strait, between Dutch East Borneo and Celebes Island.

United States aircraft twice attacked the enemy convoy Monday off Balik Papan, Gen. Wavell's command reported, sinking two transports and probably another.

Combined air and naval attacks are now credited with sinking a total of 46 ships in the shark - infested Macassar Strait.

Jap Colonel Talks Of General Offensive

TOKYO (from Japanese broadcasts) (AP) — Lt.-Col. Hotta, Japanese military spokesman, said today at a press conference that a Japanese general offensive against Singapore would be launched soon, "according to careful plans." He contended it would not take long to oust the remaining United States forces from Batan Peninsula in the Philippines.

JAP DRIVES REVEAL STRATEGY OF ATTACK ON ALL OF EAST—Japanese attack arrows aiming southward and westward have as their apparent targets India, Singapore, the Dutch East Indies and Australia. Map shows Jap drives and new United Nations defence line.

Big Allied Move Australia Hears

CANBERRA (AP) — Army Minister Francis M. Forde told the Australian forces overseas in a broadcast today that "a big movement by the Allies is under way."

Addressing especially the men of the Australian Imperial Force at Singapore, Forde declared that each hour the Japanese are held at bay permits the concentration and development of more reinforcements and the accumulation of more weapons.

"It does not need my words to impel you, therefore, to hold on," he said.

Prime Minister John Curtin gave the Premiers of all the Australian states at a conference here a confident outline of the war situation.

The democracies' resources were being marshalled, he explained, but problems of distance and time prevented plans from being carried out immediately on a great scale.

CHINESE READY

CHUNGKING (AP)—A government spokesman today predicted Chinese troops in Burma will soon be in contact with the Japanese and expressed satisfaction with recent statements by President Roosevelt, Prime Minister Churchill and Navy Secretary Knox that the importance of the Pacific front is not being overlooked.

Even if the United Nations take a year to drive the Japanese out of the strategic bases they have occupied in the last two months, China can easily ride the storm, he said.

"We already have enough American arms and equipment to tax our transportation capacity to the utmost for at least a year in transferring it to the points where it can be used," he said.

"We are sure the United States and Britain are doing their best to rush reinforcements to the south seas.

Ministers Oppose A.R.P. Sabbath Work

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Vancouver Ministerial Association today was on record as opposed to the use of Sunday for Air Raid Precaution and defence organization meetings.

At a meeting Monday the association declared that "the general ministerial association, while endorsing the urgent need of proper A.R.P. organization, nevertheless strenuously objects to the growing tendency to use Sunday for this or other secular purposes."

Blind Children Crowded Into Fire Trap School

B.C.'s School for Deaf and Blind Children at Jericho Beach is dangerously overcrowded, C. E. MacDonald, superintendent, told the Legislature's social welfare committee today.

The institution houses 20 more children than fire regulations allow, Mr. MacDonald said.

As for health conditions, he told how 33 girls have one bath-tub, three toilets and six wash-basins; 23 younger boys have one tub, two toilets and three basins and 21 older boys have two tubs, two toilets and two basins.

Classrooms and dormitories have reached the saturation point and soon students will have to dine in two shifts, so crowded is the dining-room. "We reached our limit in 1925," Mr. MacDonald said. All the teachers but one are women, as it is difficult to obtain men teachers.

ACCIDENTS NOT V.D.

There are at present 88 children in the school. Mr. MacDonald said there is public misconception regarding the children, most people believing they are there because of venereal disease. On the other hand, he pointed out, they are there because of dynamite caps, knives and scissors, and because of scarlet fever and other such diseases.

Edmontonian Leads Canadian Tank Unit

OTTAWA (CP) — Lt.-Col. Robert A. Wyman of Edmonton, who led the 3rd Field Regiment overseas in this war, has been promoted to the rank of brigadier and to the command of a Canadian tank brigade overseas, it is reported here today.

In his new post he succeeds Brig. F. F. Worthington, who organized the brigade and now has been promoted to major-general in command of a new armored division.

Artillery Leader Gets Victoria Cross

LONDON (CP)—The Victoria Cross has been awarded Brig. John Campbell, 48, commander of an artillery unit who helped fire guns himself in fierce fighting at Sidi Rezegh on Nov. 21 and 22.

"Whenever the situation was most difficult and the fighting hardest he was to be seen with his forward troops either on his feet or in his open car," said the citation published in the London Gazette tonight.

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British Stage Attacks

Wage Running Fight Against Libyan Axis

CAIRO (AP)—Roving British armored columns fought on the offensive northeast of Msus today in a dogged effort to hold the inland shortcut which dominates the bulging north African shoreline while the 4th Indian Division slowly retreated through the Gebel el Achdar coastal range.

The British Middle East communique said this division was under heavy pressure of enemy forces which apparently had been reinforced. The extent of the withdrawal was not given, but Monday this division was said to be just east of Slonta, about 240 miles from the Egyptian border and 100 miles northeast of Bengazi.

(The Italians claimed they had passed Cirene, ancient seat of Greek culture, just to the north and slightly east of Slonta.)

Msus is 80 miles south of Slonta and slightly east. Thus, while giving way along the coast, the British forces were endeavoring to hold their positions on the inland route, along which they have twice slashed in previous campaigns to cut off Bengazi.

The R.A.F., particularly fighter patrols, was giving close and effective support to the Indian troops and also to the roving mobile forces attempting to counteract the coastal advance by manoeuvres inland, the communique said.

THREATEN FLANKS

Apparently the rearguard action in the Msus area, 70 miles southeast of Bengazi and 240 miles west of the Egyptian frontier, was being fought in the hope of stabilizing a front across the north African coastal bulge by threatening Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's extended flank.

There was no disposition here to deny that British forces had been caught unawares by the ability of the Germans and Italians to reinforce their north African armies with armored units and transport in a short time.

Military circles appeared confident, however, that the front would be stabilized and exhibited no great concern over ground lost.

A British colonel put it this way:

"It's only a question of time when Rommel's supply line, stretching like a rubber band, will break. Then we will move in again and smash as much as possible of his forces.

AREA UNIMPORTANT

"We've always known there's little point in desert conquest unless you take as a prime problem the urgent necessity of destroying the enemy's forces. Area is not important. Tanks, men and trucks are."

BOMB ITALIAN CITIES

ROME (From Italian Broadcasts—AP)—Naples and Palermo, Sicily, were attacked by the R.A.F., the Italian high command announced today. The communique said high explosive bombs were dropped, but the damage was described as unimportant.

"There were no casualties at Naples," it added.

An advance of more than 110 miles beyond the newly-recaptured base at Bengazi was claimed in a declaration that three Axis motorized columns were operating to the eastwards of Cirene, on the Cyrenaican "hump," a few miles from the Mediterranean.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

All new crop seeds now ready, 5c packet. Please bring in articles for rummage sale to be held Saturday, Feb. 7, at 737 Pandora. Committee for Medical Aid for China. ***

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Womens' Canadian Club. Empress Hotel, Friday, Feb. 6, 2.45 p.m. Speaker, Miss Winnifred Kydd, O.B.E. Subject, "Our Responsibility to Canadian Youth." ***

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Armor Division Commander Named

OTTAWA (CP) — Command of Canada's new armored division goes to 52-year-old Brig. Frederick F. Worthington of Barrie, Ont., the seasoned fighting man who dreamed about tank warfare before this country had any tanks and founded the present armored organization in the Canadian army.

National Defence headquarters today announced his promotion to the rank of major-general and his appointment to command an armored division.

From this it was taken for granted he has been recalled from England, where he commanded an army tank brigade, to assume the task of converting the 4th Division into an armored division.

Decision to make the conversion as part of a plan to develop the Canadian Corps overseas into a two-corps army was announced in the House of Commons last week by Prime Minister Mackenzie King.

BRIGADE LEADERS

In connection with the transformation of the 4th Division, Defence headquarters also announced appointment of Brig. A. M. Thomas, 47, Toronto, and Brig. E. L. M. Burns, 44, Ottawa, to command the 3rd and 4th armored brigades respectively; of Brig. Walter C. Hyde of Montreal to command the support group of the 4th armored division; and Lt.-Col. G. R. Bradbrooke, 45, Winnipeg, to command the new 2nd army tank brigade with the rank of brigadier.

The new set-up calls for a two-corps army, one corps consisting of three infantry divisions and two army brigades and the other of two armored divisions. The latter will be an armored corps which may turn out to be the spearhead of any push the Canadian army is called on to make on the continent of Europe.

Today's announcement made no reference to Gen. Worthington's successor as commander of his overseas tank brigade. As 4th Division commander he succeeds Maj.-Gen. L. F. Page, who now is commanding Canadian army troops in Newfoundland.

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Hitler's Generals Ask Help

Nazi Reinforcements Fail to Stop Russians

By EDDY GILMORE

MOSCOW (AP) — The Germans are sending air and tank reinforcements to parts of the southern front to combat Marshal Timoshenko's increasingly active army, but are being more than matched by Red army weapons, Soviet dispatches reported today.

("Despite the reinforcements which have already been brought up to the Russian front from the German-occupied countries, the German generals have demanded from Hitler the immediate dispatch of 20 fresh, picked divisions," the BBC said in a broadcast heard by NBC in New York.

("The Generals have threatened," it added, "that otherwise it would be very hard, if not impossible, to prevent a general Russian break-through.")

Reds Rule Air, Strike Far Ahead

Testifying to Red air force superiority, dispatches from the front credited one Russian air unit with destroying 17 Nazi planes in a week and long-range bombers with deepening their offensive far into the German rear.

At one German railroad junction, they said, three supply trains of more than 200 cars were destroyed.

Dragging machine-guns, cannon sledges in 40-below-zero cold over the same roads used against Napoleon, the Russians were pressing forward on several fronts, all pointed toward Smolensk, 210 miles west of Moscow, and keeping up their fast pace despite determined German resistance.

Russian forces were reported to have killed some 1,400 Germans in three different sectors of the front and to have thrown back Nazi counter-attacks which were launched in a vain effort to stem the retreat.

The Moscow radio said 1,000 Germans were killed when an important inhabited locality, identified only as "V," was recaptured by the Russians.

Hitler's forces suffered big losses in manpower and equipment through land operations and further reverses both in the air and at sea, a communique said.

Slash Remnants Of Fleeing Divisions

No details were given, but a later communique reported some 200 German officers and men were killed by Russian units pursuing the remnants of two divisions fleeing from recaptured Sukhinichi.

Sukhinichi, nearly 150 miles airline southwest of Moscow, was recaptured last Friday by forces seeking to drive a spearhead toward Smolensk

In an unidentified sector of the southern front, the communique added, the enemy lost more than 200 officers and men in fighting in which the Russians captured seven guns, one tank and 16 machine guns.

(Jacques Doriot, a leader of French volunteers in the German army, said in a Paris address that rain and mud had crippled the invasion machine even before 43-below-zero weather arrived. "At those temperatures everything changes," he said. "Men lose part of their faculties; their fingers become swollen, and their joints become stiff with ankylosis.")

Donets Coal Reaching Moscow

Tass said trainloads of Donets basin coal were moving to factories in the Moscow region again over an entire railway line reopened by Soviet armies.

(The route was not identified, but three connect Moscow with the productive basin. They are main lines to Rostov and to Sebastopol and a secondary route which runs between them. On the Moscow-Sebastopol line the Germans still occupy such key cities as Orel, Kursk and Kharkov.)

(The German high command in broadcasts heard from Berlin today claimed today the repulse of heavy Russian attacks northeast of Taganrog on the sea of Azov and asserted that elsewhere on the eastern front counter-attacking Nazi troops had scored local successes despite "stubborn enemy resistance" and adverse weather.)

German Railways Overburdened

BERNE (AP)—For the second time in less than three weeks Germany has imposed restrictions on civilian railway travel in order to release rolling stock in a tremendous effort to transport fresh supplies of men and arms to the eastern front.

The restrictions were necessitated, according to the Berlin newspaper Lokal Anzieger, by "more and increasing demands on the railways to supply the eastern areas and to put at the disposal of the army means of transport for staff and freight."

Up to Provinces

Dominion Denies A.R.P. Authority

OTTAWA (CP)—Pensions Minister Mackenzie, addressing Air Raids Precautions authorities representing all the provinces, appealed today for the carrying out of their affairs with the federal government "on a basis of mutual trust and good will."

There were those who claimed A.R.P. was a federal responsibility, he said. That would mean taking over municipal departments for the duration of the war—police departments, hospitals, engineering departments—"all of which have vital roles to play in an air raid."

"In short, it would mean the complete abolition of municipal government because we could not take control of civic departments for one purpose and leave the city council in control for other purposes," he said. "We have adopted another method. We have asked the provincial authorities to assume direction in their own provinces and to encourage municipal authorities to assume direction in their own communities."

Mr. Mackenzie spoke at a conference of A.R.P. authorities called at Ottawa to consider whether a uniform code of lighting regulations for the Dominion was practicable.

The new blackout regulations adopted last December, he said, were designed to ensure that in the event of an air raid alarm all lights could and would be immediately extinguished and in all practice blackouts it had been found there were many lights not under the immediate control of any persons able to respond to the alarm.

EXEMPTIONS GRANTED

However, in the framing of these regulations for the continual blackout of lights unless they were under the immediate control of somebody who could turn them out instantly, it was realized that exemptions in certain cases should be granted by the Pensions Minister or Munitions Minister Howe.

"After the regulations had been published applications for exemptions were received from various industries in all parts of the country," Mr. Mackenzie told the conferees. "The striking fact about them was their great variety."

There had been and would be, Mr. Mackenzie said, differences of opinion as to who should pay for what but these differences were gradually being ironed out. Reference had been made to shortage of equipment such as steel helmets, gas masks, rubber boots, stirrup pumps and sirens.

EQUIPMENT ORDERED

"The truth is," Mr. Mackenzie added; "that most of this equipment has been on order for many months but some of it is unobtainable at any price and some of it must take its turn in production when the steel, rubber, cotton, charcoal and other necessary products are obtainable.

Within the past few days a greatly increased supply of steel helmets had been made available and these would be distributed as rapidly as they come into the department's possession.

"A real effort is being made to prepare every part of Canada where risk exists for any emergency that may arise," the minister said. "We can assure the public from coast to coast that we are and have been making every attempt to perfect our air raid precautions effort on their behalf."

The meeting was under chairmanship of Hon. Dr. R. J. Manion, Chief Federal Air Raids Precautions Officer.

Ulster Parliament Hails U.S. Troops

BELFAST (AP)—The speech from the throne opening a new session of the Northern Ireland Parliament declared today the recent arrival of United States troops was "a demonstration of the unity of purpose" existing between Britain and the United States.

"I am confident the result will be a further strengthening of those ties of kinship and those common ideals which mean so much for the future of the world," said the speech, read to Parliament by the Duke of Abercorn, Governor of Northern Ireland.

First United Church Celebrates

Four First Church pioneers. Left to right, James Foreman, with 50 years' membership; William Losee, 52 years; George McGregor, 54 years, and R. G. Howell, 52 years.

James Walker dedicates the haggis. Piper Helen Finlayson is at the left and Miss Evelyn Watson at rght.

Monday night officially closed the celebrations of the 80th anniversary of First United Church. Over 400 members attended a banquet and entertainment in the lower rooms of the building.

In traditional ceremony the haggis, preceding the dinner, was piped in by Miss Helen Finlayson, accompanied by Miss Evelyn Watson carrying the Scotch dish. Both girls were members of the Highland Lassies' Pipe Band. Dedication to the sacred dish was made by James Walker.

Following the dinner, Rev. Hugh McLeod, pastor of the First United Church, introduced outside guests and visiting clergymen. Among them were Rev. T. G. Griffiths, chairman of the Presbytery of Victoria; Rev. J. Lewis W. McLean, president of the Ministerial Association of Victoria, and Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse, minister of the Metropolitan Church. Each of the visitors presented short messages from the groups they represented.

Absent from the gathering was Rev. Bruce Gray, a former assistant pastor of the church. A message from him to the assembly was read, congratulations and wishes for continued success being conveyed.

The church choir, under the direction of George H. Peaker, presented "The Border Ballad" and "The Bohemian Girl." Mrs. C. Goodwin and Mrs. W. Wilson were the soloists.

From the dining-room the crowd journeyed to the auditorium, where a poem of Donald Fraser was read. It was the same verse that had been recited at the 75th anniversary of the church. Historic slides of the church and its growth since 1862 were shown by W. T. Straith, K.C., M.L.A. Former pastors of the church were shown and brief outlines of their work were given.

Rev. Dr. J. G. Inkster, a survivor of the Niagara sinking, gave an illustrated lecture on his experiences in New Zealand. A. Huxtable showed the slides.

Chinese Strike Back

Huge Jap Convoy Sighted Off Amoy

By SPENCER MOOSA

CHUNKING (AP) — A Japanese convoy, including 41 warships and enough transports to carry a division, has been sighted steaming south in Formosa Strait off Amoy in one of several moves by the Tokyo high command to make up for its heavy losses in manpower in the southwest Pacific, a Chinese army spokesman said today.

He said the convoy consisted of 69 ships in all, with nine large, one medium and 11 small transports, six launches and a hospital ship in addition to the warships.

The spokesman said several other divisions which had been reported moving south along the Tientsin-Pukow railway Jan 23 were diverted at Tsinan to the north China port of Tsingtao, where they embarked on transports. Tens of thousands of additional Japanese troops, he said, were pouring into Shanghai by train to board ships there.

As one of the heaviest blows to the Japanese in the Pacific area, the spokesman reported the virtual annihilation of the Japanese 16th Division at Johore Bahru, across the narrow Johore Strait from Singapore. He said 10,000 bodies had arrived in Saigon, in French Indo-China.

The spokesman told a press conference the Japanese were making thorough preparations for a drive into Burma from northern Thailand, and had thrown pontoon bridges across the Salween river. Concentration point for the Japanese forces, he said, was at Chiengmai, 100 miles due east of the river and 175 miles northeast of Moulmein, city at the Salween river mouth, which has been evacuated by British forces.

A Chinese war communique today said Chinese forces counter-attacked in the Nanchang area of central China after repelling two Japanese thrusts south and west of that city, capital of Kiangsi province.

More than 300 casualties were inflicted on the Japanese west of the capital and 500 on the Yon river to the south, it said.

Prevent Landing Of Japs on Batan

WASHINGTON (AP)—Two attempts by the Japanese to land troops on the west coast of Batan Peninsula the night of Feb. 2 were repulsed with heavy enemy losses, the War Department announced today, and Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces also successfully counter-attacked the Japanese on their right flank, overrunning three lines of enemy trenches.

The landing attempts on MacArthur's left consisted of a first raid by Tatori, special shock troops, which were repulsed by artillery fire, and a second and more serious attempt at midnight, when U.S. night flying pursuit planes discovered a large number of barges approaching the coast under naval escort.

The planes attacked the convoy immediately with light bombs and machine guns, and as the enemy troops approached the shore the American and Filipino beach defence force attacked them with artillery. None of the barges reached shore, although a number were found disabled and burning along the beaches the next morning.

New United States air and sea attacks to slow the onrush of Japanese forces in the southwestern Pacific were expected today.

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On the employees group, under R. T. Wilson, are Mr. Eby, L. Bearce, H. Murphy, H. Ratcliffe, Mr. Litch, Mel Gow, F. Rathlef and J. G. Hindmarch.

An unusually large committee will function under Mayor Victor B. Harrison in the public relations department. Assisting the mayor in that field are Hedley Vicars, vice-chairman, and a crew of 33.

Sales committee leaders are Frank A. Hanna and James Gray.

Extending beyond the city's limits, the Nanaimo section will also be in charge of the Ladysmith and Parksville-Qualicum areas.

Under the chairmanship of J. C. Sheasgreen the Ladysmith subcommittee includes J. King and W. C. Richards.

Handling the Parksville-Qualicum section are H. J. Welch, chairman; E. D. Thwaites, C. Wing, R. C. Weld, J. E. Kingsley, W. Braddock, L. L. Phillips and E. H. Gibson.

WAGE BONUS HOLDS AT SAME LEVEL

OTTAWA (CP)—The National War Labor Board, administrative agency of the government's wages stabilization program under chairmanship of Labor Minister Mitchell, announced today that "it appears at the moment unlikely" that any new or additional cost-of-living bonuses will have to be paid by employers Feb. 15.

"When the January (as of Jan. 1) cost-of-living index is announced by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics within a few days," the board said in a statement, "it appears possible that it will show a rise of less than one point in the relevant three-month period (October to December, 1941).

"This indicates the price ceiling is holding, and this is greater advantage to the average working man than the protection provided by a cost-of-living bonus."

The bureau's cost-of-living index rose from 115.5 to 116.3 from Oct. 1 to Nov. 1, but receded to 115.8 at Dec. 1. Thus during the first two months of the period for which bonuses would be payable the increase was only 3-10ths point.

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Nanaimo Forms Loan Committees

Nanaimo marshaled its forces this week in preparation for Canada's second Victory Loan campaign. Leaders in the civic and business life of the hub city were in line, awaiting the go-ahead for the approach to the public for their region's quota of the $9,850,000 required on Vancouver Island.

F. S. Cunliffe, chairman, with his vice-chairman, B. S. Abrams, heads an executive committee including W. E. Nutter, W. Bowden and H. A. Humber in making general arrangements for the drive.

Acting on the citizen's committee are J. K. Kneen, John K. Cook, J. T. Dudley, Percy Gowman, E. K. Fletcher, J. A. Finlayson, T. Ostle, A. W. J. Rathlef, R. K. Smart, R. T. Wilson, F. A. Hanna, W. P. MacDonald, Donald G. Siemon, Ernest W. Harding,

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Still Await Word Of Hongkong Troops

OTTAWA (CP)—Latest word received by the Defence Department of Lieut.-Col. H. L. Sutcliffe, officer commanding the Winnipeg Grenadiers in Hongkong, was that he was alive and well on Christmas Day, it has been learned here. The Hongkong garrison surrendered Christmas Day.

This report on Col. Sutcliffe was received through the External Affairs Department from the British embassy in Chungking, it was said.

Col. Sutcliffe, it had been previously announced, took over command of the Canadian forces after his commander, Brig J. K. Lawson of Ottawa, was killed in action. Further word on the fate of the Canadians who fought at Hongkong is being sought by the government.

Hepburn Forecasts Public Resentment

WELLAND, Ont. (CP) — A "wave of public resentment" against the calling of a plebiscite on conscription is going to "sweep the Mackenzie King government out of office," Premier Hepburn predicted Monday night in the first of three public speeches he has scheduled this week in support of Douglas Watt, Independent Liberal, in the Feb. 8 Welland by-election.

The Premier came here after making a radio speech over a St. Catharines station, CKTB, in which he predicted the election of Mr. Watt over Labor Minister Humphrey Mitchell, Liberal candidate, and Mark Kriluck, C.C.F.

Mr. Hepburn said the Welland by-election had become a "test case" to the Canadian people and to the Canadian troops overseas "who are wondering about this plebiscite and asking if they're to be left without reinforcements" when they invade Europe and open a second front to aid the Russians.

(Earlier Monday in Toronto Premier Mitchell Hepburn had said that resolution on the federal government's war effort and its conscription plebiscite would be introduced in the Ontario Legislature, but that its definite terms and plans of introduction either by the Liberal government or opposition had not been determined. It might perhaps be better to have a private member introduce the resolution so "members would feel freer to vote.")

Stop U.S. Enlistment In Canadian Forces

OTTAWA (CP)—Orders have gone out to recruiting centres of the Canadian armed services not to accept Americans for enlistment now the United States is actively engaged in the war.

Recently it was announced steps were being taken by authorities of Canada and the United States to return to the United States for enlistment in the American forces of those Americans now in Canada's forces who want to do so.

Ganges Farmers

GANGES — Ganges Farmers' Institute held its annual meeting in the Mahon Hall, W. Hague presiding.

The treasurer's report showed a balance of $208.96 on hand.

The following directors were appointed: W. Hague, H. A. Robinson, Mr. Yondes, M. Gyves, C. Lee, and later W. Hague was elected president; H. A. Robinson, vice-president; E. V. Bettis, secretary-treasurer, and F. Stevens and W. Palmer, auditors.

Watching Farouk

LONDON (CP) — Intimations of a possible breach between the British government and King Farouk of Egypt, with the suggestion that his "loyalty to the alliance is by no means above suspicion," appeared in the British press today as a result of the resignation of Premier Hussein Sirry Pasha's cabinet in Cairo.

The London Daily Herald's diplomatic correspondent said: "Ever since his accession King Farouk, who is only 22, has been arrogant and domineering in his dealings with successive ministries. He has shown no sense of the duties of a constitutional king . . .

"Should things come to a real showdown between the king and the constitution, the attitude of the British government must necessarily be to support constitutionalism against any attempt at autocratic government —especially by a king whose loyalty to the alliance is by no means above suspicion."

Dispatches from Cairo said the cabinet, organized Nov. 25, 1940, on the death of former Prime Minister Hassan Sabry Pasha, resigned as the aftermath of student demonstrations against it.

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New Measures Advocated

Japs in B.C. Defence Areas Tom Reid Tells Commons

OTTAWA (CP) — Return to Canada of Lt.-Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton, Canadian Corps commander, to advise the government on defence of Canada was proposed in the House of Commons Monday by Thomas Reid, Liberal, New Westminster.

No Canadian was qualified to perform this task as well as Gen. McNaughton, Mr. Reid said, and in view of Japanese successes the danger to Canada was serious.

Mr. Reid criticized the government for indifference to the Japanese menace in British Columbia and said that even now Japanese are permitted to live in "military compounds" where even he, as an M.P., could not enter without great difficulty.

Defence Minister Ralston denied there had been any "indifference" in his department in regard to the need for adequate defences on the Pacific Coast.

With regard to the handling of Japanese residents in British Columbia, Col. Ralston said that was a civil government responsibility.

Mr. Reid's demand for return of Gen. McNaughton climaxed a speech in which he accepted the plebiscite, urged initiation of a wooden ship building program, and warned against the menace of Japanese both in Canada and without.

ONLY LOGICAL

While he did not like the idea of a plebiscite, he said, he believed that in view of all circumstances it was "the only logical procedure" at present.

Mr. Reid said the people of British Columbia were apprehensive, not only because of the fear of air attacks, but because of the menace of large numbers of Japanese in that province.

Many Canadian-born Japanese were more ardently loyal to the Japanese government than were their fathers, who were born in Japan, and this applied particularly to the better-educated.

He congratulated the government on immediately immobilizing the great Japanese fishing fleet of British Columbia after the attack on Pearl Harbor last Dec. 7.

But he said there followed at once representations "by certain parties" asking that the fleet be released again to the Japanese.

"Who were those interested parties?" asked Conservative House leader Hanson.

"I can name one. My information is that the head of the B.C. Packers Ltd., who is also chairman of the wartime merchant Shipping Board, was one who was very active," Mr. Reid said.

HOW TO TELL?

There were, no doubt, many loyal Japanese in Canada, "but who can tell the loyal ones from the others?" Mr. Reid asked. He said there was a consistent refusal to deal with this problem realistically.

"It is all very well for our fears to be pooh-poohed or to be laughed at by the higher command here. . . ." he said, and Col. Ralston interrupted with:

"My honorable friend must not say that. There is no suggestion of pooh-poohing or laughing at anyone's fears."

HIS PROTEST

"Last year," Mr. Reid went on, "I protested against allowing five Japanese families to live inside one of our military compounds and defence areas, and the only answer I got was that all these were loyal citizens. . . .

"The day Canada declared war on Japan the Royal Canadian Mounted Police picked up some of these and interned them as enemy aliens.

"Nothing, however, has been done so far as I know about the others still living there, but a few feet away from the very defence guns we are depending upon for protection at the mouth of the Fraser River.

FUSSYFOOTING

"No other country in the world pussyfoots around in these matters or acts quite as foolishly."

Col. Ralston said there was some confusion. "Loose thinking and talking" about defence areas. He said this matter was formerly under the Justice Department, but he had been willing to take it over and issue an order specifying protected areas, although he believed it more a matter of civilian administration.

Mr. Reid observed that the minister had not denied the statement about five Japanese families living close to the guns.

"I visited that district the day I left for Ottawa and, but for the fact that I am a member of Parliament, I could not have got into the area, but the Japanese and their relatives and friends could come and go inside that military compound," he said.

"Does my honorable friend know that that is a defence area established by the military authority?" Col. Ralston said.

"I do not know, but I know there are four guns there at the mouth of the river and if it is not a defence area it should be," Mr. Reid replied.

"Who was it kept my honorable friend out — a sentry?" Col. Ralston asked.

Mr. Reid—Yes.

Col. Ralston—And allowed the Japanese in?

Mr. Reid—Yes. Fifty-five men and their families and all.

Howard Green (Conservative, Vancouver South)—The Japs are between the camp and the guns.

Col. Ralston—I assure my honorable friend that it was not a defence area, such as set up under the Defence of Canada Regulations, that he is talking about.

Conservative House Leader Hanson—Then what is it if it is a gun area?

Col. Ralston—What the honorable member is talking about is in the vicinity of some guns, but it is not a defined defence area.

Mr. Reid made a plea for serious consideration of British Columbia problems, for more anti-aircraft guns, searchlights and other equipment.

POSSIBLE INVASION ATTEMPTS

"I have one suggestion to make," he added. "It is that the minister bring back Lieut.-Gen. McNaughton from England and have him inspect the defences of both the Atlantic and Pacific coasts and, in the light of his experience, advise the government in connection with the Defence of Canada against possible invasion.

"Gen. McNaughton has been in England now for some considerable time and . . . is in the unique position of knowing what the actual fortifications are in Great Britain against invasion from sea or air. . .

"He has first-hand experience, information and knowledge such as few of the military staff in Canada possess. . .

"Apart altogether from the respect in which he is held in Great Britain, the fact that he stood out against allowing Canadian troops to go to France prior to the fall of Dunkerque, because of the lack of mechanical and military equipment, shows, I believe, the calibre of this general, who merits, I think, the thanks of all Canadians."

LUMBER EXPORTS

Because of shipping losses, Britain now was getting lumber from Russia instead of from Canada, Mr. Reid said, and the market there for the Canadian product might be endangered.

Wooden ships could be built in Canada at low cost, and it was evident the steel-ship program could not be expanded, because of shortage of materials.

In British Columbia there were "hundreds of idle men, ready and competent to work on these (wooden) ships, and we have likewise the lumber and other materials in abundance," Mr. Reid said.

Terrace and Hope In Protected Area

OTTAWA (CP) — British Columbia west of the Cascade Mountains and including the villages of Terrace and Hope has been defined a "protected area" under the Defence of Canada Regulations.

The order defining the area is published in a special edition of the Canada Gazette and went into effect Jan. 31.

Certain Japanese nationals now resident in the area are to be moved out. Government officials now are giving consideration to where they will be taken and possible labor projects on which they may be employed.

Still in Tokyo

OTTAWA (CP)—The Canadian Legation in Tokyo will be closed as soon as arrangements for evacuation of the staff are completed, the House of Commons was informed Monday in an answer tabled in reply to a question from T. L. Church, Conservative, Toronto-Broadview.

Interests of Canadian nationals now in Japan are being looked after by the Argentine legation, the return stated.

All members of the Canadian Legation, with their salary and allowance are: E. D. McGreer, first secretary and charge d'affaires, $4,940, $4,260; H. F. Feaver, second secretary, $3,420, $1,350; E. H. Norman, third secretary, $2,520, $1,575, and R. Martin, stenographer, $1,500.

Also attached to the legation at present is M. T. Stewart, acting Canadian commercial attache, who has a salary of $2,940 and an allowance of $2,475.

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Letters to The Editor

REALTORS VS. FARMERS AND FOOD MARKETING

A report has been published that the members of the Real Estate Board of Victoria approved the proposal of their president that the Natural Products Marketing Act of B.C. (under which authority the generally known Coast and Interior Vegetable Marketing Board, popularly known as the Potato Board, operates), should be "pushed over the wall for the duration." Further, that a delegation of real estate agents should ask the provincial government to suspend the operation of this act.

It is a little puzzling to some (and not so puzzling to others) as to why this purely private organization of businessmen should take it upon themselves to try and kill a food marketing act which is not their particular line of business. It would be equally strange if a meeting of farmers and food producers should petition the government to remove some measure which may be of vital concern to real estate agents. "The shoemaker should stick to his last."

As district president of 24 Farmers Institutes on Vancouver Island and vice-president of the Islands Farmers Council, it has been my good fortune to attend many meetings of farmers and food producers on Vancouver Island and on the mainland, at which meetings the marketing act has come up for considerable discussion and severe criticism. At all these meetings it was obviously apparent that the vast majority, at least 90 per cent, were in favor of the principles of orderly marketing, for which this act provides, but trenchant criticism was made regarding the administration of the act by present and past marketing boards.

Surely the farmers and food producers are best able to pass judgment on an act, which was passed to provide orderly marketing of food products, and consequently protect the producers of same against the depredations of closely organized buying groups of businessmen who in the past have forced the producers to sell their products at ruinously low prices. Unfortunately, these practices are still being used in spite of the act. Every farmer knows only too well the technique of the "wolves of Water Street," who carry out the dog eat dog business practices to the limit. It is these wholesalers of farm products who would be delighted to see the marketing act torpedoed and sunk by a submarine, provided by these merchant princes which is manned by these middlemen rather than others to divert suspicion as to the nationality of the sub. It is most desirable to expand this act fully to control and license sink the act.

It may be reasonably assumed that a real estate agent is primarily interested in getting his commission on the sale of land, farm or otherwise, and that his income would be increased from the sale of farm lands at proper price levels. These price levels can only be achieved if the purchasers are able to obtain a price for their products which is on a parity with other commodity prices. Also, such parity prices will assure full production of all food commodities so essential under present conditions.

At present a royal commission, under Judge Harper, is investigating alleged maladministration of this act and, when all the "fireworks" have lost their dazzling and often misleading brilliance, the findings arrived at in the sober light of all the evidence grouped together, should give everyone a better understanding of the actual position. In fairness it might be wise for the real estate agents and others, at least, to await the publication of these findings before making any move to kill or suspend this act.

Suggestions for the purpose of improving the working of the act would be far more constructive. Whether we like it or not complete organization of production and distribution as a war measure, is coming rapidly and the constructive thing to do is to prepare to meet this condition.

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Bennett Best Tory, Says Tom Reid

OTTAWA (CP) — Warm tribute to a former political opponent was paid in the House of Commons Monday by Thomas Reid, Liberal, New Westminster, when he described Viscount Bennett, former Canadian Prime Minister, as "a great Canadian."

Mr. Reid was speaking of Conservative Party leaders, and he said: "The best and most capable leader they had in late years, Rt. Hon. Viscount Bennett, they forced to leave Canada.

"No one will deny he was, and still is, a great Canadian. However, the hearts of that party now incline toward (Rt. Hon. Arthur) Meighen, but in my estimation Meighen cannot replace Bennett in ability."

Mr. Reid also complimented Conservative House Leader Hanson.

Nazi Ace Killed

LONDON (CP)—Reuter's says a Berlin broadcast Monday announced that Capt. Wilhelm Spiess, "one of the best German fighter pilots" and holder of the Knight's Cross of the Iron Cross, had been killed while leading a formation in a low-level attack on the Russian front.

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Canada and Russia

OFFICIAL CANADA EVIDENTLY BELIEVES it is now quite respectable and timely to consider our diplomatic and other relations with the Union of Soviet Republics—nothwithstanding an extraordinary bias which has manifested itself in some quarters. When he was questioned on the subject in the House of Commons yesterday afternoon by Mr. M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader and member for Rosetown-Biggar, Mr. Mackenzie King replied that negotiations already were under way with Mr. Ivan Maisky, Soviet ambassador to the Court of St. James's, for an exchange of representatives with Russia. Matters had not progressed further for the moment because Mr. Maisky, as noted in a recent dispatch, is down with an attack of malaria.

Of course Canada should be represented in Moscow and Russia in Ottawa. The better and quicker we understand our valiant allies, the better and quicker they will understand us; and the sooner some Canadians get rid of their stupid antipathy toward the Soviet Union, the sounder will grow the basis for future profitable and friendly relations between two peoples who vie with one another in their determination to run their own affairs in their own way. Even the Toronto Globe and Mail apparently does not feel it is compromising with its rigid orthodoxy when it candidly confesses that with the passage of time and the maturing of her own social structure, Russia's "need for ideological militancy has passed." Indeed, our eastern contemporary lets itself down very neatly, if belatedly, as it argues further that if there is danger from Communist activities, the danger arises not from sources in Russia, but from revolutionary groups abroad which have seized and often perverted an ideology and used it to satisfy their own ambitions for power. Quite properly, argues the Globe and Mail, the Comintern is not an indispensable part of the Russian government, and it is more than likely that the half-hearted support which it has hitherto received from the Kremlin will be withdrawn after the war by agreement at the conference table.

The plain fact which every Canadian should appreciate in all its implications is that after Hitler and his gang have been put out of harm's way, the world in which we then shall be living will owe a debt to the people of the Soviet Union whose magnitude we are only just beginning to understand as we reflect on what has happened in that country since last June 22. As Mr. King has now informed the House of Commons that an exchange of representatives between Canada and Russia is under direct consideration, it is to be hoped, if an agreement is reached, the government will select a Minister truly representative of the Canadian people in every sense of the term. Our neighbor on the south has been singularly fortunate in her envoys to Moscow—as also has Great Britain.

India Now and After

NOW COMES THE PARDONABLY proud announcement that the first fighter and first trainer plane ever to be built by the Hindustan Aircraft Factory have just been completed in Delhi. In this inconspicuous little paragraph lies news which may conceivably hold a significant meaning and portent for a later day. For the immediate future, however, it suggests the promise of a still further contribution—it is already great—to the cause of the United Nations from an Empire of more than 370,000,000 people.

Apart from the desire manifest throughout India to throw everything possible into the balance against the Axis, the Japanese advance in Burma during the last few days naturally has produced a new outlook on the war, or, at least, as far as the supply of manpower and mechanical equipment is concerned. Mr. Gandhi's recent retirement from the leadership of the Congress Party, incidentally, left a large element which had wavered somewhat in its attitude toward the war with a freer hand. Those who comprise this school of thought have no love for Hitlerism and Japanese aggression is, if possible, more detestable to them.

The production of this first fighter plane and first trainer plane in India, however, as we have implied, is a new reminder of how the balances of world power are shifting. Vast areas and huge populations which have been in the past reservoirs of raw material and cheap labor are being industrialized at an almost feverish rate—due mainly, of course, to the exigencies of war. But what the world of white people should not overlook is the important fact that when, for example, the Chinese under gallant Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek have liquidated the Nipponese invader, they will not return to the China of a few years ago. India's countless millions, too, are progressing toward industrialization on an extensive scale; Dominion status will be accorded them either before the war ends or as soon as reasonably feasible afterward.

In other words, 10 years from now, China and India between them will comprise approximately half the population of the globe. Here are forces in motion that dwarf the tiny conscious plans of men, and make 19th century politics look like a game of village store checkers. Whether we make the brave new world we ought to have, and can have, remains to be seen. That it will be a vastly different world is becoming more apparent every day. And we must open our eyes and broaden our minds in time. When the people of India, for instance, read of the bravery in battle of their sons in Libya, in the Malay Peninsula, in Hongkong, and wherever there is fighting to be done, they must wonder why Canada—the pioneer of Dominion status—continues to deny a few hundred East Indian British subjects the vote. Here is a question for British Columbia to ponder.

Cutting Expenses

NEW YORK'S GOVERNOR LEHMAN has presented to the state Legislature a budget in which he has recommended a 25 per cent reduction in each individual's personal income taxes payable this spring; a similar reduction in the same taxes payable in 1943; a cut of $5,000,000 in the total budget, despite unavoidable war expenses; and all this in the face of inevitable loss of revenue from auto and gas taxes. He proposes to postpone almost all projected public improvements, cut expenses all round, and actually give the state taxpayer some relief to enable him to carry his increased federal taxes.

How Governor Lehman will fare with his proposals, we do not yet know, but such a program, actually embodied in a budget and presented directly to a state legislature, is a fitting subject for loud cheers. Much of the saving that can be made by local governments in times like these can be made without injury or handicap to individuals. All capital improvement projects not necessary to the conduct of the war which can be postponed will not only add their share to present economy, but will be waiting to be launched after the war at a time when jobs and work may be at a premium.

Every provincial and municipal government in Canada has before it a definite task: to get down to minimum operations consistent with safety and effective administration. The taxpayer is going to have to carry a heavier and heavier burden for the nation. It is up to the lesser governmental divisions to lighten the load all they can. Few of them have as yet faced the situation with as much courage as that shown by the governor of New York.

Viscount Bennett

ALTHOUGH HE DESCRIBED VISCOUNT Bennett as "a great Canadian"—an opinion which nobody will seriously challenge—Mr. Thomas Reid, Liberal member for New Westminster, told the House of Commons yesterday he did not think Mr. Meighen could replace the former Canadian who now sits in the House of Lords. But when the New Westminster member suggests to his political opponents that Conservative party leaders were responsible for forcing the former Prime Minister to leave Canada, we are constrained to inquire whether Mr. Reid was speaking with his tongue in his cheek, or whether, by implication, he was telling the people of South York—where they will vote to elect or reject Mr. Meighen next Monday—that the newly-appointed leader of the official opposition party is not by any means the political Moses to lead them out of the wilderness.

Nobody "forced" Mr. Bennett to leave Canada; nobody in Britain "forced" him to accept a Viscountcy; nobody will belittle his service to this country over a long period of time. The Canadian people, of course, took a hand in shaping his political destiny. But the noble Lord himself is not blind to fact. His conception of leadership was reflected in his trade policy; his big political play in the general election of 1930 was his scheme for blasting his way into the markets of the world. The economically-fantastic Ottawa treaties of 1932 were the product of his fiscal philosophy. They did not work—as Mr. Bennett was told they would not. Canadians signified their disapproval in 1935 and again in 1940. But all will agree with Mr. Reid in his tribute to Mr. Bennett's Canadianism. It may be a very long time, however, before he is followed by another native son into the Upper Chamber at Westminster.

OUR DEFENCES ADEQUATE?

From Vancouver Sun

Mr. Howard Green has performed a useful and courageous pubic service in demanding adequate military protection for the coast of British Columbia. It is the duty of the government to answer immediately the questions raised by Mr. Green in his speech to parliament.

Within the essential limits of military secrecy, the government should tell parliament, if necessary at a secret session, how our coast is defended and what additional measures will be taken to defend it. Since the government framed its present defence program the war has undergone far-flung and terrible changes in the Pacific. As a result of Japanese victories the coast of British Columbia becomes a vital defence zone which may well suffer attack in one form or another before the Allies recover naval supremacy in the Far East.

We do not know what measures have been taken to defend this zone. We do know, of course, that the government of Canada cannot divert from the Allies certain essential armaments that are needed at this very hour in the front line of battle. British Columbia does not ask this diversion, but Mr. Green is absolutely right in asking whether, within our means and without detracting from aid to our Allies, we are providing every possible measure of coastal defence.

Bruce Hutchison

OTTAWA.

CEILING

WHEN THEY PUT a ceiling on prices it looked on the outside like a rather simple thing. To the average person it seemed easy to order businessmen to stop raising prices. To a person like my neighbor Mrs. Noggins it was perfectly obvious that all prices should be pegged at their existing level, so long as the price of her eggs was allowed to rise.

But Donald Gordon and the experts who had to hold down the ceiling knew it was the most complicated and baffling job in the economic history of Canada—was, in fact, nothing less than the creation of a new kind of economic system. Not half as easy, either, as the socialization of industry, which can be achieved overnight if you are prepared to get out the guillotines. The job ahead of Mr. Gordon was to achieve government regulation of the economy while still leaving it in private hands and without destroying entirely the spark plug of competition. The socialists have always been sure it couldn't be done.

We shall see in the course of the war whether it can be done. If it isn't we shall have a ruinous inflation or we shall have state control of everything in one form or another. At the moment we are in a vital stage and face very serious and unpleasant decisions.

Up to now the price ceiling has been relatively easy to maintain. It has been in its honeymoon stage. Now it reaches the stage of ordinary life and that will be tempestuous.

AWFUL DECISION

CANADA IS APPROACHING, in fact, the place where it must compel some lines of business to curtail their output, even to cease operating altogether. Probably it will not order these nonessential industries to close, but it will create conditions in which some of them cannot live. At the moment the experts are exploring this problem and their decisions will produce remarkable results for many Canadian enterprises.

The first job is to simplify business and reduce its operating costs so that it may sell below the price ceiling. For example, the shoe industry has been ordered to reduce the number of shoe styles to a small fraction of its former variety. A shoe store in Canada today which wishes to stock one pair of all the styles manufactured by a single company would have to carry 150 separate pairs, and that would give only one size in each style. In wartime this is ridiculous. By simplifying styles the shoe industry, the clothing industry and many others, can greatly reduce expenses. Other economies are possible in deliveries, in packages, in overhead.

Where an industry has finally squeezed out every drop of extravagance and still cannot sell below the ceiling and exist, the government is prepared to subsidize it; but not if it is nonessential. It would subsidize, for example, an industry manufacturing a food product generally needed by the people, but it would not subsidize an industry making rockets for use on Hallowe'en.

ORDERLY OR DISORDERLY

THERE IS WHERE the terrible decision comes in. Sooner or later the government, through its experts, must decide between life and death for some forms of business. Obviously some must go, for the whole purpose of war finance in any country, under any system of society, is to reduce the output of luxuries so that materials and labor may go into war supplies and essential consumer goods. In Canada we are trying to do it in an orderly way under the price ceiling, where other countries have adopted the disorderly way of letting the price of luxuries rise so much that people cannot buy them; with the result that the price of necessities rises also and ruins the consumer.

We shall know within a few months whether we have the intelligence as a people to make this experiment work. It will not work unless the administrators are tough; unless we are ready as a people to accept very great evils in the belief that the evil of inflation is worse.

GEMS OF THOUGHT—PEACEMAKERS

"The truest and surest way in which we can serve our fellow men is not so much to do anything for them, as to be the very truest, purest, noblest being we know how."—Frances P. Cobbe.

"Whoever has destroyed a single prejudice is a benefactor of the human race."—Chamfort.

"Not to average one's self upon one's enemies, is the command of almighty wisdom; and we take this to be a safer guide than the promptings of human nature."—Mary Baker Eddy.

"This world can never be made right by force, nor by fear, nor by power. In the long run nothing conquers but ideas, nothing governs but the Spirit."—Leacock.

"Speak, move, act in peace, as if you were in prayer. In truth, this is prayer."—Fenelon.

Listening in at the radio the other night, the thought struck us that this was is becoming pretty serious—they must be rationing jokes.

A professor says the Nazis lack a sense of humor. But that communique predicting the fall of Moscow in three days still is our choice for the best gag of 1941.

Parallel Thoughts

Unstable as water, thou shall not excell.—Genesis 44:4.

With firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right.—Abraham Lincoln.

WHAT WE FIGHT FOR WHEN WE FIGHT JAPAN

From Ottawa Journal

Canadians may take pride from the fact that Canada was the first of British Empire countries to declare war on Japan, declaring even in advance of the United States.

But Canada did more than that. She declared war on Japan not merely as a part of the British Empire which Japan attacked but also as a North American country, as a neighbor and ally of the United States. She declared war, and will wage war, because Canadians know that the security of North America, of this hemisphere and this continent, is bound up with the United States, just as the security of the United States is bound up with Canada. Actually, in a larger sense, the security of the whole British Empire is now linked with that of the United States and vice versa. The fall of one would be the fall of the other.

The Canada-United States Joint Defence Committee should stand this continent in good stead. It is not impossible that Canadian troops will be found on United States soil and American troops on Canadian soil. That is the way it should be with allies; the way it should be in democracy's fight for liberty and common ideals.

When you are not living in the midst of great danger it is much more difficult to put up with the small, petty things.—Lady Halifax, wife of the British Ambassador to the U.S.

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Pope Thanked 'King Billy'

From Toronto Saturday Night

That doughty fighter for Canadian unity, Mr. Emile Vaillancourt, has produced in pamphlet form, largely we fancy for circulation among the educational authorities of Ontario and one or two other provinces, his famous Montreal Gazette article of July 12, 1938, on the French-speaking proclivities of the great historic personage who is commemorated every year on that day under the not very French-sounding title of "King Billy." It is a very interesting document, and can hardly fail to effect some amount of debunking.

One of the contemporary authorities quoted by Mr. Vaillancourt records that William of Orange "despised the native English," and it may as well be noted that it is not so much the native English as that admirable, energetic and tenacious race, the native Ulstermen, who keep his memory—we almost said green—in this land so far from the River Boyne. (Even the "single Englishman" whom according to Macaulay the French-speaking monarch was obliged to trust on certain momentous occasions bore the suspiciously un-English name of Caermarthen.)

But Mr. Vaillancourt's main point is something to the effect that William would be vastly surprised if he could know how he is made to figure today as an upholder of exclusive claims for the English language as against the French—he who spoke English "thickly and slowly" and wrote all his governmental utterances first in French. He would be almost equally surprised to find himself represented as a violent enemy of Roman Catholicism. The Catholics had no such view of him during his lifetime. One of the earliest books on the exploration of what is now Canada, including much matter about Ontario, is that of Father Hennepin, and was printed in French at Utrecht with a Dedication to King William, who indeed defrayed the expense of publication, and who was referred to by the reverend author in these terms: "Allow me to make known to the entire universe that God has entrusted to your Majesty the glorious duty of carrying the light of the Gospel into so many lands of our discovery which are still in the shadows of ignorance."

Macaulay records that William alone saved the Catholics of England from a sanguinary persecution in the national reaction after the fall of James. The Vatican, which at the time was a bitter enemy of France, received the news of the Battle of the Boyne with an enthusiasm scarcely less than that which Canadian Orangemen show on its anniversary to this day. The relations between France, England and the Vatican at that time are not wholly dissimilar to those which prevail today between Germany, the democracies and Russia. The contemporary Popes regarded William with "ill-concealed partiality. He was not indeed their friend; but he was their enemy's enemy."

We do not know to what extent Mr. Vaillancourt will succeed in eradicating what has become one of the national legends of Canada; but he is making a valiant try.

MONEY IN SHARKS

P. W. Luce

In Toronto Saturday Night

Soupfin shark livers bring nice money to those fishermen who are lucky enough to make a good haul along the B.C. coast. The halibut boat Olympia No. 2, after two weeks on the fishing grounds, brought in enough to net each man on board $700. A week or so later the Cape May, with a crew of four, unloaded enough livers to enrich each man by $1,700. In addition, each man's share of ling cod was worth $100, making a total of $1,800, approximately $100 a day for the time the Cape May was out.

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Very Rev. Peter Bryce, D.D.

In Toronto Star

What would have happened to us if Russia last year had been fighting on the side of Germany instead of fighting against Hitler and his hosts? The answer to that question reveals how great is our debt to Russia. Yet one finds still in certain quarters a grudging acknowledgement of the inculculable service rendered to the Allies by a brave people, who for six months have battled against the greatest army ever assembled against any nation.

In June, 1941, when Hitler treacherously attacked Russia, few observers believed that she could withstand the German army beyond a few weeks. The utmost hope anywhere expressed was that the Germans might be held in Russia until September. The greatest miracle of all wars has taken place, however, for the Russians are now on the offensive, and the Germans are in retreat. Hitler has suffered his greatest defeat up to the present.

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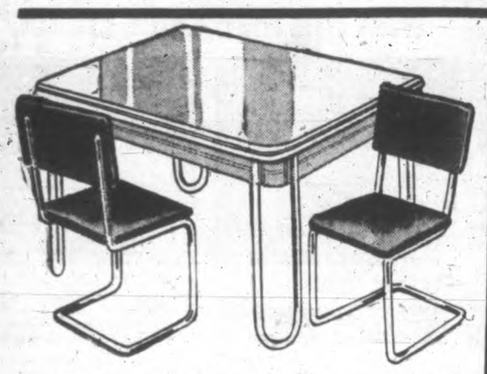

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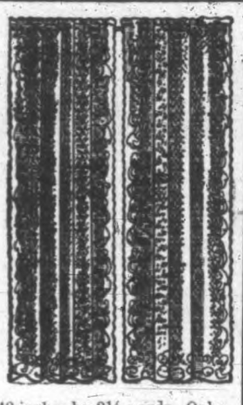

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Weddings

PRATT—ATWATER

At Warwick Neck, Rhode Island, the wedding took place Saturday of Jane Brewer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Richmond Brewer Atwater of Vancouver, and granddaughter of Mr. Richard M. Atwater Jr., mining engineer of Victoria, and Mr. Harlan Buttfield Pratt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Arthur Pratt of Plainfield, New Jersey. The wedding took place in St. Mary's Episcopal Church, Rev. Allan Green officiating. The bride was born in the Dominican Republic, where her parents have a large plantation, and attended the Stenotype Institute of New York. The bridegroom is a graduate of the Loomis Institute, New York.

Mrs. William K. Goodspeed of Philadelphia, sister of the bride, was matron of honor, and Miss Marnie Wilson of Hartsdale, N.Y., was maid of honor. Miss Selma Rossmassler of Chadds Ford, Penn., a cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid. Mr. Marson Buttfield Pratt was his brother's best man.

Later a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents. Mr. and Mrs. Pratt will reside in Plainfield, N.J.

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Victoria Airman Wed in England

The wedding of Flight-Lieut. Donald A. Perley, former M.O. at Patricia Bay and Alliford Bay, son of Rev. and Mrs. D. M. Perley of Sidney, and Miss Joyce Reid of Maidenhead, took place Jan. 11 at the ancient St. Nicholas Church, Thorney Island, Hampshire.

The ceremony was conducted by the padre of the R.A.F. station there, and the group captain in charge of the station gave the bride in marriage. Captain Carman Johnson of the Canadian Dental Corps, formerly of the Dental Headquarters at Esquimalt, acted as groomsman. The R.A.F. orchestra furnished music and the W.A.A.F. choir sang "The Voice That Breathed o'er Eden" and "Love Divine."

The bride, who is a graduate of the University of London, is the youngest officer of the Women's Auxiliary Air Force on the Thorney Island R.A.F. Station. As the bridal party left the church a guard of honor was formed by the R.C.A.F. and R.A.F. officers standing at salute. The reception was held in the officers' mess and congratulations were offered by the Canadian and R.A.F. members of the station.

Solarium Juniors Plan Valentine Tea

The home of Mrs. W. C. Nichol, 1759 Rockland Avenue, will be the scene of a Valentine tea, Feb. 14, under the auspices of the Solarium Junior League. Refreshments will be served from 3.30 until 6, and during the afternoon a delightful musical program will be provided. At the meeting of the league held Monday, with Miss Barbara Kennedy, the president, in the chair, it was announced that Miss Bunny Macdonald was in charge of the arrangements for the tea, assisted by Miss Grace Cuthbert, Mrs. R. Van Horne, Mrs. Edward Cuppage and Miss Eve Lytton.

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Auxiliary Makes Urgent Appeal For Blood Donors

An urgent appeal to the public to give blood to assist in building up a blood bank for emergency purposes in Victoria was made by the Junior Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital, under whose auspices the blood bank is being fostered.

Plans to stimulate interest in the bank were made at the meeting of the auxiliary Monday afternoon in the Nurses' Home, with the president, Mrs. W. B. Wilson, in the chair. The deplorable lack of response to earlier appeals is alarming to hospital authorities and indicates a lethargic attitude on the part of the public to the extreme necessity of such a bank. It is pointed out by Mrs. B. Newton, convener, that in the case of an air raid or attack, the blood plasma now on hand would not last a day.

NO INCONVENIENCE

The blood is taken from the arm arteries and women volunteers need only to wear a loose-sleeved frock and men roll up their sleeves. Pure blood can be kept only a week to 10 days, but for the bank the blood is condensed by a special process into plasma, which is a liquid serum and can be kept for over a year. It has the added advantage of not having to be typed, any blood plasma being suitable for any patient.

Only 150 donors have given their blood since the first appeal some weeks ago. In Vancouver, more protected area than Vancouver Island, there has been a fine response to calls for blood, 6,000 people volunteering in a few weeks. The extraction of the blood is harmless and painless, only half a pint being drawn, the whole operation taking but 15 minutes. Request for appointments may be made at the hospital any day by phoning G 4141, and volunteers are received from 1 to 3 at the hospital admitting office.

A letter was read from Dr. T. W. Walker acknowledging with thanks the auxiliary's gift of $1,000 towards the X-ray machine.

TABLE DISPLAY

Mrs. R. B. Wilson was appointed convener of the decorated table display to be held at the Empress Hotel, April 22, and she will be assisted by Mrs. Conway Parrott and Mrs. Matthew Hedley. The sum of $10 was voted for the Senior W.A. linen shower to be held Thursday. Mrs. H. M. Morton was asked to purchase a doll's carriage which will be a special prize at the annual dolls' bazaar at the end of the year.

Mrs. A. C. Futcher reported 11 hospital and 4 home visits. Her duties as convener of the visiting committee will be taken over by Mrs. P. F. Howden, who will be assisted by Mrs. R. A. Wootton, Mrs. E. M. Pease and Mrs. M. Hedley.

MONTHLY REPORTS

Mrs. J. U. Copeman reported three diet cases carried on. Mrs. R. H. Green announced that the next knitting meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Clifford Collison. Mrs. R. Newell stated that the vocational committee will meet in future on the second and third Mondays of the month. Bandages and fluffs for emergency stores being made at these meetings amounted to 91 dozen to date. Miss P. Bagley appealed for magazines for distribution. Mrs. Edward Goodall reported 10,584 dressings made at the weekly meetings. Miss McBride, social service, reported paying 16 home visits and arranging boarding home care for six patients and transportation for three. Mrs. C. L. Aylard reported that the newly-installed showcases had stimulated sales of babies' garments and knitted goods in the hospital. Mrs. J. A. Burchett will have charge of advertising posters, assisted by Miss Peggy Angus.

Clubwomen's News

St. John's W.A. Evening Branch will meet tonight at 8.15 in the rectory. Miss Webster-Smith will speak.

W.A. to Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., sewing club will meet Wednesday at 8 in the boardroom.

Women's Guild of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church met Monday, the president, Mrs. M. R. Pearce, in the chair. The devotional period was conducted by Mrs. Pearce. A report was given on the silver tea held at the home of Mrs. D. E. Campbell. Mrs. T. W. McLean, Mrs. C. W. Hawkins and Mrs. G. Scafe were appointed delegates to attend the annual meeting of the Local Council of Women. Tea was served, the hostesses being: Mrs. J. L. W. McLean, Mrs. D. Scott and Mrs. T. Taylor.

—Photo Courtesy Vancouver Sun.

WIDELY-FETED NEWCOMERS to Victoria are Pilot-Officer and Mrs. Ross Blatchford, who came west from Toronto just before Christmas, the former being attached to the R.C.A.F., Patricia Bay. They recently returned from Vancouver after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Temple Keeling, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Blatchford.

Social and Personal

Miss Gloria Wilson has returned to Vancouver, where she is in training at St. Paul's Hospital, after spending the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Wilson, the Uplands.

Mrs. Bruce Smith left Monday en route to Ottawa to join her husband, Paymaster-Lieutenant Smith, who left a week ago to take up new naval duties there. She was accompanied to Vancouver by Mrs. J. L. R. Parsons, who will return to Victoria in a few days.

Miss Patsie Hamersley, daughter of Mrs. H. F. Hamersley, Crescent Road, returned Monday afternoon to Seattle, where she is now making her home, after spending the week-end here as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Westinghouse, Sidney. She was accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Pitt of Seattle and Premier, B.C.

Valentine's Day has been set as the day of the wedding in Vancouver of the well-known mainland city couple, Miss Ann Hillier and Mr. Louis Tepoorten, whose engagement was announced recently. Mrs. Howard Martin will be Miss Hillier's attendant and Dr. Frank Tepoorten will stand as groomsman. It will be a morning ceremony in St. Augustine's Church, a small reception being planned afterwards at Jericho Country Club.

After the regular service Sunday evening, First United Church Choir held a reception in the Sunday School Hall. This was to give the members of the congregation an opportunity to meet the two guest ministers, Dr. J. G. Inkster and Dr. W. C. Wilson, both former pastors, who conducted the Sunday services on the occasion of the church's 80th anniversary. The hall was decorated with spring flowers and refreshments were served by the social committee of the choir, the convener being Miss A. Pettigrew. During the evening Miss V. Gillham sang two solos.

Miss Betty Lansdell was hostess recently to the members of the Chisellers' Bridge Club at her home, Graham Street. Refreshments were served and prizes presented to Miss Irene Wallace and Mrs. Kenneth Scott. Members present were Mesdames Kenneth Scott, Reuben Cartwright, Harry Williams, Tom Newnham, and Robert Stewart, and the Misses Peggy Mertton, Betty Lansdell and Irene Wallace. The club's next meeting would be at the home of Mrs. R. Stewart, Obed Avenue.

Members of her bridge club complimented Miss Betty Milne, a bride-to-be, with a tea at the Empress Hotel Saturday afternoon, and presented her with a crystal rose bowl embossed with silver deposit, the gift being accompanied by an expression of good wishes and a corsage bouquet of roses, sweet peas and forget-me-nots. Miss Iris Gaskill presided at the prettily-arranged table, which was covered with a pale yellow damask cloth and centred with a bowl of daffodils. Others present were Mrs. R. Barry and Misses Kaye Mottershead, Margaret Pringle, Dora Curtis, Kay Greenwood, Betty Milne and Betty Scott.

A joint birthday party was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Pimm, 820 Cowper Avenue, in honor of Miss Esther Pimm and Mr. W. A. Mannix. The evening was spent with music and games, after which a buffet supper was served from a table centred with spring flowers. The guests were Miss Esther Pimm, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mannix, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pimm, Mr. and Mrs. T. Stark, Mr. Russell Stark, Miss Judith Wiles, Mr. Noel Parker, Miss Beatrice Dickens, Miss Dorothy Dickens, Miss Lilian Le Cocq and Mr. Ray Hollins.

The 65 members and guests who attended the annual meeting of Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., annual meeting at the Empress Hotel Monday afternoon later enjoyed tea in the Duke of Kent private dining-room. Presiding at the attractively-arranged table, with its bowls of irises and daffodils, were Mrs. H. Lethaby, Mrs. J. Gillis, Mrs. A. Paton and Mrs. Ada Catterall, and assisting in serving were Mesdames L. A. Lucas, Moulson Smith, T. Lumsden, H. Warner and K. Mills and Miss Norma Jones.

Executive of the Victoria Women's Institute entertained at tea in their rooms, Fort Street. Mrs. Alfred Watt, O.B.E., spoke briefly during the afternoon and the vote of thanks was moved by Mrs. T. C. Johns. The rooms were decorated with daffodils and pussywillows. Pouring tea were Mrs. J. Cairns, president of the South Vancouver Island district board, and Mrs. W. Peden, former president of the board. Members of the executive present included Mrs. Johns, Mrs. R. Richards, Mrs. A. R. Harness, Mrs. W. Bridge and Mrs. G. Brown.

In compliment to her goddaughter, Miss Jean Munro, whose wedding will take place at the end of the month, Mrs. J. Duncan was hostess at a surprise shower held at the home of Mrs. C. Munro, Mt. Stephen Avenue, Monday. A gardenia corsage was given to the honored guest and to her mother a corsage of zinnias and fern. In presenting an automatic Hotpoint iron with complete accessories, to the bride-to-be Mrs. P. MacMillan conveyed the best wishes of the assembled guests. Amusing games were played, winners being Mesdames P. MacMillan, P. Sharp and B. Hawkes. Refreshments were served from a daintily-appointed table centred with a bowl of yellow daffodils and lighted by tall yellow tapers. Mesdames J. Duncan and C. Munro presided at the urns. Mrs. H. Riddle, Misses Jean Reading, Peggy Pepper, Isobel Chisholm and Barbara Munro assisted in serving. The invited guests were Mesdames H. Riddle, S. Chisholm, J. Lacy, P. Sharp, E. Townsend, B. Hawkes, S. Laity, G. Sidwell, P. MacMillan, G. Davies, C. Pepper, B. Sinnott, J. Foubister, J. McDonald, J. Hebden, M. Christie, J. Basktone, G. Marshall, H. Reading, E. Tucker, C. Munro, J. Duncan, and Misses E. Denham, J. Reading, P. Pepper, I. Chisholm, J. Hocking, S. Hebden and B. Munro.

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Splendid Year Reported By I.O.D.E. Chapter

Mrs. James Baker was re-elected regent of Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., at the annual meeting of the organization held Monday afternoon in the Princess Charlotte Room, Empress Hotel.

Other officers for the ensuing year are as follows: Honorary regent, Mrs. Kyrle Symons; first vice-regent, Mrs. Baylis; second vice-regent, Mrs. J. L. Gates; secretary, Mrs. W. Rayfuse; educational secretary, Mrs. M. Midgley; Echoes' secretary, Mrs. N. R. Fyfe; treasurer, Mrs. R. S. Standerwick; standard bearer, Mrs. K. Mills.

All reports bore testimony to an active year of fine achievement, especially noteworthy in the list of accomplishments being the raising of $574 for the Spitfire fund. Mrs. R. W. Marsh, in reporting this, commented that the Florence Nightingale Chapter was one of the few in British Columbia which had raised the quota, which called for an assessment of $7 per member. Two other outstanding achievements were the raising of $350 through contests, noted in the report of the war convener, Mrs. W. Schade; and the signing up of 15 new members during the year.

REGENT'S REPORT

In her annual report the regent, Mrs. Baker, expressed her thanks to the secretary, Mrs. Rayfuse, the first vice-regent, Mrs. Bayliss, the treasurer and other officers and conveners of committees. She touched briefly on the fine work done by Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Kitching, hospital convener, and Mrs. Schade in connection with the two successful contests. Child welfare and secondary education were, she said, two departments in which the chapter took a special interest.

At the conclusion of her address the regent was presented with an oak gavel, silver mounted and engraved with the date and the occasion.

Mrs. Catterall, recently returned from a six-month visit in Toronto, told about having attended there a meeting of Toronto Municipal Chapter, with whose activities she thought Victoria's I.O.D.E. could favorably compare.

The treasurer, Mrs. Standerwick, reported that $2,090 had been made by the chapter during the year. Other reports were given by Mrs. Rayfuse, secretary; Mrs. Midgley, education secretary; Mrs. A. G. Moody, Echoes' secretary; Mrs. K. Mills, standard bearer; Mrs. St. Clair Kitching, sunroom convener; Mrs. R. W. Marsh, war convener; Mrs. J. E. Elliott, child welfare convener; Mrs. L. A. Lucas, Council of Women representative; Mrs. C. Crawford, Girl Guides; Mrs. J. Ripley, soldiers' graves; Mrs. W. Finmore, flowers; Mrs. J. Blake, program; Mrs. A. E. Adie, telephone; Mrs. F. Mackenzie, films; and Mrs. Rayfuse, publicity.

Mrs. Kyrle Symons, municipal chapter regent, and Mrs. H. K. Prior congratulated the members on their year's work.

353 GARMENTS

In her war report Mrs. Marsh showed that 353 garments, valued at $259.60, had been sent overseas for people in the bombed areas or for other wartime needs; and Mrs. Kitching, reporting for the work of the chapter at the T.B. pavilion, Jubilee Hospital, noted that $272.91 had been spent in this connection.

In addition to the presentation to the regent there were several other presentations. Each of the following received a corsage bouquet: Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Kyrle Symons, Mrs. Catterall, and the gift of a cup and saucer was made to Miss Lena Mitchell, director of nurses at Jubilee Hospital, who thanked the chapter for what it had done for the patients at the T.B. pavilion; Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. St. Clair Kitching, Miss W. C. Wood and Miss N. K. Jones.

Members paid standing tribute to the memory of the late Duke of Connaught, a former Governor-General of Canada.

It was announced that a meeting would be held Wednesday to elect conveners.

Special guests were Mrs. Ada Catterall, Mrs. Kyrle Symons, Miss Lena Mitchell, Miss W. C. Wood, Miss Nellie Jones, Mrs. A. C. Phipps, Mrs. W. B. Hobbs, Mrs. A. Wittier and Mrs. R. Shanks.

Evening group of the Women's Auxiliary of the First United Church met last week at the home of the newly-elected president, Mrs. Robert Wallace, 830 Richmond Avenue. Mrs. W. S. Dawson, president of Women's Auxiliary, installed the new officers. It was announced that members would start knitting for the air force. Wool has already been distributed through the knitting convener. Refreshments were served, Mrs. H. McLeod presiding.

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At the close of a hard day — when your nerves feel as taut as fiddle-strings, seek relaxation in a mustard bath. "Edginess" and weariness should slip off — your good nature should bob up again as your nerves feel calmed down. You should sleep better after it too! And those days when your spirits sink down to your shoes; when you feel chilly—depressed—wonder if you are "taking something", play safe. Let a hot mustard bath thoroughly warm and refresh you. Others get a lot of good from this old remedy "mustard" — why not try it yourself? Anyone who is seriously sick requires a doctor's services, of course, but when contagious colds, grippe and minor Winter ailments threaten you, mustard will help give relief. It will also help relieve the pains and aches of neuritis, neuralgia, lumbago, rheumatism and over-tired muscles. A mustard bath covering the hips is helpful when periodic pains bother. So keep mustard handy and get the booklet which describes the standard methods of applying it.

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Girl Guide Head Has Full Program

Miss Winnifred Kydd, C.B.E., of Montreal, deputy chief commissioner of Canadian Girl Guides, who this week is making her first visit to the city since she received her present appointment, will address at least four large clubs while she is here.

At 11 Thursday morning she will make a formal call at Government House. At midday she will be the guest speaker at the Rotary Club luncheon at the Empress, her subject to be "Totalitarian Versus Democratic Youth Training Plan." That evening she will address the Guide local associations, Guide parent committees, and Guiders at 8 in the I.O.D.E. rooms; Friday afternoon at 2.45 she will speak to the Women's Canadian Club at the Empress on "Our Responsibility to Canadian Youth," and in the evening she will be the guest of the University Women's Club, the meeting to take place at the home of Miss Ellen Hart, Laurel Lane, and the subject to be "Discipline in the Midst of War."

During her stay in Victoria Miss Kydd will be the guest of Mrs. Allan Morkill, Pemberton Road. Leaving here Friday she will begin a heavy speaking program in Vancouver the following day.

Jill Tars, instead of their regular meeting Wednesday, will attend a theatre party, meeting at 7.30 at Blanshard and Yates.

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Dutch East Indies Aware of Menace Offered By Japan

Testimony to the sturdy independence and doughty loyalty of the Netherlands East Indies was given by Dr. Bernard Bierman in the address he gave Monday afternoon at the well-attended meeting of the Overseas League in the Empress Hotel.

Netherlander by birth, Canadian by naturalization, Dr. Bierman has recently taken up residence here after 10 years on the faculty of political science at the University of California. Speaking of the Netherlands East Indies as the pivot of Allied strategy in the Far East, he cited two special examples of its people's awareness of the Japanese menace and their preparedness for the recent happenings.

On May 10, 1940, the day of the German invasion of Holland, Governor-General van Starkenborch Stachouwer, youngest governor-general the colony had ever had, while in conference with the Japanese ambassador received a telephone message from The Hague: "It has happened!" Continuing his conversation with the Japanese ambassador, he quietly pressed a button.

By the time he left the palace half an hour later, all his German "friends" had been taken into custody, and all German ships in the Indies (135) were sequestered.

The other incident happened on November 30, 1941, when, exactly one week before the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor, the Netherlands Indies' fleet was ordered to sea. Distrusting Japan's special mission to Washington, the day the Japanese fleet made its attack on the British fleet off the Malayan coast a Dutch submarine sank four Japanese troopships with 4,000 men.

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The Netherlands Indies Dr. Bierman called a bridge between two continents and a highway between two oceans. If the Indies fell into enemy hands, he maintained, all Burma, British India, and Australia were greatly endangered.

If superimposed on the map of North America the archipelago would stretch from far into the Pacific on the west to far into the Atlantic in the east. The population of the entire archipelago was 70,000,000, Java being the centre of Indonesian culture and of European enterprise as well as the pivot of Allied defence in all the Far East and the headquarters of the Allied command under Gen. Wavell.

The president, Mr. A. L. Darrell, was in the chair, and Mr. O. A. Butters moved the thanks to the speaker.

Mrs. A. G. MacDonald, honorary corresponding secretary, announced that His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. W. C. Woodward had consented to become honorary members of the Victoria Overseas League branch. In her resume of wartime services she noted that in addition to two shipments of clothing weighing one and a half tons, and completing the 25th ton sent by her from Victoria. There had been sent to London during January $221.30 for the tobacco, hamper and field force fund, and an additional $80 for other purposes.

Mrs. Darrell, reporting for the wool fund, stated that 92 articles had been completed in December and January. She read two notes, one from a British seaman thanking the league for socks; the other from Mrs. Gayford, Overseas League, London, acknowledging contributions and noting that "our supply of knitted things is never equal to the demand." The same correspondent stated that wool in England today cost $2.37 per pound, payment in coupons.

Pioneer Club of Victoria Review No. 1, Women's Benefit Association, met at the home of Mrs. H. Thompsett, Lulie Street. Mrs. Dresser, newly-elected president, presided and presented Mrs. G. Winter with a silver bonbon dish in recognition of her five-year term as president. Daffodils centred the tea table and the hostess was assisted in serving by Mrs. A. Borthwick.

Tweedsmuir's Son To Marry Canadian

LONDON (CP Cable)—The engagement was announced today of Lieut. Alastair Francis Buchan, youngest son of the late Lord Tweedsmuir and Lady Tweedsmuir, and Miss Hope Gilmour, daughter of the late David Gilmour and Mrs. Gilmour of Ottawa.

The announcement did not mention the date or place of the marriage.

Lieut. Buchan is an adjutant of the 8th Canadian Reconnaissance Battalion and his fiancee is serving somewhere in England with the First Air Nursing Yeomanry. They met in Paris two years ago.

Miss Gilmour went overseas last September to serve with the Women's Transport Service. Since her arrival in Britain she has been attached to the Polish army as an ambulance driver.

Lieut. Buchan was in Ottawa for some time as aide-de-camp while his father was Governor-General. In 1939 he was appointed a second lieutenant in the 4th Princess Louise Dragoon Guards.

After his father's death he accompanied his mother, Lady Tweedsmuir, to Britain and became attached to the Canadian headquarters staff.

Social and Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Stark, of Vancouver, are visiting Mrs. M R. Pearce, Cavendish Avenue.

Miss Hall, Lansdowne Road, the Uplands, has staying with her Captain and Mrs. Reginald Lacon, of Denman Island.

Mrs. Robert Gillespie, of Seattle, who has been spending a few days as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Wilson, the Uplands, left for her home this afternoon

Mrs. G. Newlands and Mrs. L. Douglas, both of Vancouver, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. Newlands, Scott Street, for a few days, returned this afternoon to the mainland.

Mrs. E. W. Hamber, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Hendry, and Mrs. Mae Rice, came over from the mainland this afternoon and are guests at the Empress Hotel.

Mrs. Claude Collington of Port Alberni and her little daughter, Barbara, who have been visiting Mrs. Collington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gray, Arundel Drive, have returned to their home.

Mrs. Neville Smith and Mrs Dora McDonald, both of Vancouver, who have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. K. DeBeck Somass Drive, have returned home.

Leading Seaman Alfred Gold, R.C.N., and his bride, formerly Miss Ann Eleanor Newlands, who have been honeymooning on the mainland, have returned to Victoria and at present are staying at the Beverley Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndell Bittancourt, of Salt Spring Island, have been spending the last few days in Victoria. Mr. Bittancourt has left to spend the summer on the west coast, while Mrs. Bittancourt, who will join him later, has returned to her home at Ganges

In compliment to Mrs. Marie Summerville, president of Rebekah Assembly, Odd Fellows of British Columbia, a tea, attended by about 100 members and guests, was given in Spencer's dining-room this afternoon. The honored guest was introduced by Mrs. E. Holyoak, noble grand of Carne Rebekah, who also convened the musical program, to which Mrs. J. Goss, Mrs. Noel, vocalists, and Mrs. C. Brown, pianist, contributed. The tables were decorated with flowers, and members were reminded of the banquet to be held Thursday night after the lodge meeting.

A letter of thanks from Miss Elizabeth Hawes, London, international liaison secretary of Soroptimist Clubs, for £25 sent by the local organization, was read at the February business meeting of the Victoria Soroptimist Club Monday night at the Colonist boardroom. Miss Doris Holmes, vice-president, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. B. M. Clarke. The club accepted with thanks an invitation from Mrs. James McMartin, 124 Linden Avenue, for a social evening at her home, Feb. 17.

THE ANSWER IS "SANITONE" and NEW METHOD

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House Committee Approves Abolishing Company Unions

The government will be requested by the Legislature to amend the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act so that employers must bargain with the Union which employees designate as their bargaining agency.

The Legislature's new labor committee Monday night voted in favor of the change in the act, which now says the employer may counter with a suggestion of a company union.

The committee, through the Legislature, will ask consideration of this change by Labor Minister Geo. S. Pearson at the present sitting of the House.

BIG DELEGATION

In the crowded, smoky Maple Room, committee members met 26 delegates representing unions affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, the Canadian Federation of Labor and the Canadian Congress of Labor. J. J. Robertson of Victoria was chairman.

The delegation, in its brief, pointed out that employers now may delay start of bargaining. Employers, it was said, when they learn their employees wish to make agreements, try immediately to form a company union or attempt to break up the employees' union.

The brief asks that the Department of Labor, notified that the majority of employees have selected their bargaining agency, shall appoint a representative of the department to conduct a vote of the employees by secret ballot "within a specified time of short duration."

The brief continues "if he is satisfied the majority of the employees designate the union involved as their bargaining agency, he shall immediately notify the employer to this effect. We believe it should be made unlawful for the employer, upon receipt of communication from the Department of Labor, to seek in any manner to restrain his employees from belonging to the union of their choice."

HEALTH INSURANCE

The labor brief also asked that the B.C. government take immediate steps to bring low-scale wages "frozen" by the federal government up to a level consistent with "the increased wages that are general throughout most industries"; that health insurance be put into effect; that a representative of labor be included on the Workmen's Compensation Board; that sufficient funds and equipment be made available for A.R.P. work; that cost-of-living bonuses be made retroactive to August, 1939, and that industries now working their employees more than eight hours a day revise their present method of employment to eliminate overtime as far as practicable.

Deer, Wolves, Coyotes Menacing B.C. Farms

Agriculture Minister K. C. MacDonald, in the Legislature Monday night admitted deer are becoming a menace to the farmers of British Columbia.

Colin Cameron, C.C.F., Comox, and Sam Guthrie, C.C.F., Cowichan-Newcastle, said deer are doing much to destroy crops in their constituencies of Vancouver Island.

Louis LeBourdais, Liberal, Cariboo, urged the Attorney-General to reconsider the vote for destruction of predatory animals. The vote has been cut $5,000.

He asked appointment of an agricultural man on the game board. Such a man would be able to protect the interests of the farmers, who now appear to be discriminated against in favor of the sportsman, he said.

Wolves, coyotes and black bear are becoming a serious menace in the interior, Mr. Le Bourdais said, killing sheep, cattle and colts.

He suggested that serious consideration be given the recommendation of the farmers' institutes of the Cariboo that the game act be administered by the forest branch. He pointed out that the farmers' advisory board had come year after year to Victoria and passed resolutions calling for increased bounties, but nothing had been done.

WOULD ABOLISH CIVIL SERVICE ACT

Agriculture Minister K. C. MacDonald in the Legislature Monday said that if he had his way he would abolish the Civil Service Act.

This would, in his opinion, be the "greatest service."

He was replying to questions from Grant MacNeil, C.C.F., Vancouver-Burrard, who wanted to know how appointments are made to the Department of Agriculture.

The minister said some of his appointments are not subject to the Civil Service Act. It is impossible, he said, for people in outlying farm districts to come to Victoria to write examinations.

He pointed out that if the act was strictly adhered to, Victoria and Vancouver residents would have an unfair advantage over people in distant parts of the province. He said he preferred certain people, with farm backgrounds, in his province, rather than city people who were subject to the Civil Service Act.

Not Co-operating

There is no connection between the U.B.C.'s agriculture department and the Provincial Department of Agriculture, Agriculture Minister K.C. MacDonald told the Legislature Monday.

L. A. Shepherd, C.C.F., Delta, asked the minister if he thought there should be some control of the university's agriculture department by the government department.

"If I were to answer that truthfully," Dr. MacDonald replied, "I might embarrass some of my friends at the university."

"The sooner there is some co-operation the better," said Dr. J J. Gillis, Liberal, Yale.

Marketing Control

Hon. K. C. MacDonald defended marketing control from Dr. J. J. Gillis, Liberal, Yale, in the Legislature Monday.

Dr. Gillis said a minority is ruling in B.C. marketing, 400 or so farmers saying what nearly 2,000 shall do.

"The Marketing Act is not what it should be," Dr. Gillis said.

Dr. MacDonald admitted some flaws in the act and blamed "the lack of loyalty of producers themselves—producers who are unwilling to stay within the confines of their organizations."

Free Legal Aid

Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, K.C., and Wm. T. Straith, K.C., Liberal, Victoria, Monday night said in the Legislature no person need do without legal advice or assistance because he lacked funds.

The Attorney-General explained operations of the junior Vancouver bar's "legal aid to the poor" and Mr. Straith followed it with a description of the similar Victoria system.

Mrs. Dolly Steeves, C.C.F., North Vancouver, who raised the issue, suggested the free legal aid be organized and publicized by the government.

E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, stated he had tried the free legal aid in Victoria on behalf of a drug addict. The junior barrister to whom the case had been assigned had refused to take it unless paid $35, he said.

Montana Keeps Out B.C. Wild Horses

Tom Uphill, Labor, Fernie, in the Legislature, Monday, asked that wild horses be shot, and more bulls loaned to farmers.

He said in his constituency wild horses are interfering with grazing lands of cattle. Montana, he said, is considering erecting a fence along the border to keep out B.C. wild horses.

Six Indian families, he said, had more than 600 wild horses roaming the range.

Mr. Uphill told the House a firm in Calgary is canning horse meat for foxes and dogs, and here is an opportunity to capitalize on the wild horses, he said.

Regarding the bulls, Mr. Uphill said it is necessary for B.C. to add to its herds, as after the war good stock will be depleted.

Milk Pasteurization Urged By Dr. Gillis

Dr. J. J. Gillis, Liberal, Yale in the Legislature, Monday, came out strongly in favor of pasteurization of milk.

Failing this, he said milk plants should be medically inspected.

Agriculture Minister MacDonald said it would be impossible to bring in regulations forcing pasteurization all over the province. In outlying sections it would be impossible to pasteurize, as it would be too costly.

However, he said, cities such as Vancouver should be able to say what kind and type of milk it wants.

Victoria A.R.P. In Poor Shape, Says Gargrave

In Greater Victoria is a serious situation in regard to A.R.P., Herbert Gargrave, C.C.F., Mackenzie, said in the Legislature Monday night.

"In the Victoria area you have one municipality pulling away from another—from the general scheme," he said. "I believe a metropolitan scheme should be developed."

Mr. Gargrave told of A.R.P. inadequacy at Shirley, west of Sooke.

"In that small but important community the chief A.R.P warden is a man over 70 and stone deaf—and on the night of the last blackout he didn't hear the air raid warnings over the radio and the result was that the warden's house was the only one that wasn't blacked out," Mr. Cargrave said.

In Victoria, Mr. Gargrave thought, perhaps too much attention is being paid to whether the warden was friendly or not with certain people in authority.

Opposition Leader Harold Winch said 28 air raid sirens had arrived in Vancouver in recent days, but are not being put up because the contract of which they are part has been canceled and another placed.

Attorney-General Maitland, replying, said he knew nothing about the original contract, but did know experts said Vancouver needed two-tone sirens.

Mr. Gargrave thought the B.C. government should have more authority in A.R.P. work.

Mr. Maitland said fine work had been done in the matter of transportation, shelter and feeding, should air raids occur.

YOUNG WHISKY AT OLD PRICE

"I gather both the government and the public of British Columbia have been taken for a ride by the distillers of this province," Harold Winch, Opposition Leader, said in the Legislature Monday night.

"There's been a change in our whisky. You can't get 11-year-old now. Now you get four or five-year-old, but there's been no change in price."

"The Liquor Control Board was purchasing by brand, not age," he said.

Attorney-General R. L. Maitland, K.C., said he had received information on that point. He would draw it to the attention of the commissioner, he said.

Imposition of price ceilings, the Attorney-General said, had caused some brands to be sold by the province below cost price, entailing a loss of $12,000.

School Traffic Signs

Establishment of more distinctive school traffic signs was urged in the Legislature Monday night by L. A. Shepherd, C.C.F., Delta.

On roads carrying two lanes of traffic in one direction existing signs were useless, he said, suggesting a middle line marking in contrasting color. He also suggested the speed for school zones be raised from 15 miles an hour to 20 and rigidly enforced at the latter.

Questioned by Grant MacNeil, C.C.F., Vancouver-Burrard, over possible action to change the automobile license scale brought a reply from the Attorney-General the issue was under consideration. Need for transportation, which led many war workers to buy heavy, old-model cars, would enforce on them a hardship if the old license scale were maintained, Mr. MacNeil thought.

Hart Says

Living Bonus Considered

Consideration will be given to cost-of-living bonuses for civil servants, Premier John Hart said in reply to Harold Winch, Opposition Leader in the Legislature, Monday night

When an opportunity arose he intended to go into the matter fully with the civil service commissioner, the Premier said, expressing particular sympathy for the lower-paid group. The government had the authority to give the bonus, he said.

In reply to A. J. Turner, C.C.F., Vancouver East, the Premier said cost-of-living bonuses would not be dependent on the savings made on the estimates now under review.

He was asked by E. E. Winch, C.C.F., Burnaby, if the cost-of-living-bonus question received favorable consideration, would they be made retroactive?

"I am not in a position to state that, but it will be given consideration," the Premier replied.

No one was in a better position, Mr. Winch said, noting in his dual capacity he could easily make a recommendation from the the Finance Minister to the Premier.

Mrs. Dolly Steeves, C.C.F., North Vancouver, raised the bonus question after asking the government to consider the plight of low-paid stenographers, who could not maintain a decent standard on the wages they received.

The Premier drew her attention to increases for such employees in the vote under consideration.

Mrs. Nancy Hodges, Liberal, Victoria, joined Mrs. Steeves in a call for consideration for stenographers and for married men with families receiving $65 and $70 a month.

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2 cups sifted flour • 1 teaspoon salt
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**Notice—this method tells you exact amount of water to use. Standard recipes don't . . . yet too much water is the first big cause of tough pastry. That's ended now!*

Sift flour and salt into bowl. Take out ⅓ cup of this flour and mix with the ¼ cup of water to form a paste. Add Crisco to remaining flour; cut Crisco in with knives, fork or blender until the pieces are the size of small peas.

Next, add flour-paste to Crisco-flour mixture. Mix *thoroughly* until the dough comes together and can be shaped into a ball. *(Notice—the dough is never sticky—it's easy to handle, easy to roll out! So this method saves you from over-handling the dough—the second big cause of tough pastry.)* Divide in half—roll out both crusts about ⅛ inch thick. (All measurements level.)

ONE-CRUST MEASUREMENTS: Use 1⅓ cups flour, ½ teaspoon salt, ⅓ cup Crisco. Take out ¼ cup flour and blend with 3 tablespoons water.

APPLE PIE WITH TOASTED CHEESE TOP—Use your favourite apple pie filling and double-crust proportions of Crisco pastry. Bake in hot oven (425° F.) 10 minutes, then lower to moderately hot (375° F.) 30 to 40 minutes. Before serving, lay narrow strips of cheese in a lattice design on top. Place under broiler or in oven until cheese just begins to melt

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Tonight

5.00
News—KOL.
Winslow of Navy—KPO.
String Serenade—KOMO.
Adventures—KJR, KGO.
Second Husband—KIRO.
John and Judy—CBR.
Ranger's Cabin—CJOR.
Sun Ray Club—CKWX.
Birthday Party—CJVI.

5.30
News—KJR, KGO.
Treasure Chest—KOMO, KPO.
Toronto Symphony—CBR.
Don Winslow—KIRO.
Bands of Day—CJOR.
Bill Henry—KNX.
Capt. Midnight—KOL.
Trail of Truth—CKWX.
Speed Gibson—CJVI.
News—KNX, KIRO at 5.45.

6.00
Burns and Allen—KOMO, KPO.
Second Husband—KNX.
Political Talk—KOL.
Secret City—KGO.
Dance—CJOR, KJR.
Sing for Supper—CKWX.
Pianology—CJVI.
News—KJR, KOL at 6.15.

6.30
News—CKWX, CJVI.
Fibber McGee—KOMO, KPO.
Symphony—KJR, KGO.
Spotlight Bands—KOL.
Report to Nation—KIRO, KNX.
'Tween Day and Night—CBR.
Sports Review—CJOR.

7.00
News—KOL, CJOR, CBR.
Bob Hope-KOMO, KPO.
Red, White and Blue—CKWX.
Miller's Music—KIRO, KNX.
On Parade—CJVI.
"Newbridge"; Drama—CBR, 7.15.

7.30
Skelton Show—KOMO, KPO.
Gentlemen with Wings—CBR.
Klondike—CKWX.
Southern Song—CJVI.
Red Ryder—KJR, KGO.
Sports Alley—KOL.
Vox Pop—KNX.
Green Gold—CJOR.
"Wherever You Are"—KIRO.
News—CJOR, KIRO at 7.45.
London Saga—CJVI at 7.45.

8.00
Fred Waring—KOMO, KPO.
Amos 'n' Andy—KIRO, KNX.
Blended Rhythm—CBR.
What's My Name?—KOL.
Betty and Bob—CKWX.
Richard's Music—CJOR.
Meet Your Navy—KGO, KJR.
Rhythm Revue—CJVI.
Lum and Abner — KOMO, KPO at 8.15.
Lanny Ross—KIRO, KNX, 8.15.

8.30
News—CJVI, KOL.
Johnny Presents—KOMO, KPO.
Information Please—KJR, KGO.
Street of Song—CKWX.
Missing Heirs—KIRO, KNX.
Britain Speaks—CBR.
Hockey—CJOR.
Public Information—CBR at 8.45.

9.00
News—KOL.
Thin Man Adventures — KOMO, KPO.
Easy Aces—KJR, KGO.
Ranch Boys—CKWX.
We, the People—KIRO, KNX.
Theatre Time—CBR.
Harold Gelling Drama—CJVI.
Thomas Elliot—KOL at 9.15.

9.30
News—KJR, KOL, CBR.
Battle of Sexes—KOMO, KPO.
Dance Music—CKWX, CJVI.
Bob Burns—KIRO, KNX.

10.00
News—KOMO, KPO, CBR, KNX.
Rhumba Revue—KGO, KJR.
Light of World—CJVI.
Carol Carter—KOL.
Off the Record—KIRO.
Sophisticated Strings — CBR at 10.15.
World Today—KNX at 10.15.
Starred for Listening — KOL at 10.15

10.30
News—KOL, CJVI.
Dance Music—KOMO, CBR.
Lemos vs. Wright—KJR, KGO.
Concert Hall—KPO.
Music Masterworks—KNX.
Organ—CKWX, CJOR.

Tonight's Features

5.30—Toronto Symphony, with Artur Rubeinstein as guest artist—CBR.

6.30—Fibber McGee and Molly—KOMO, KPO.

7.00—Bob Hope and Show will be at March Field tonight—KOMO, KPO.

8.00—Meet your Navy; Secretaries Knox and Morgenthau—KJR, KGO.

8.30—Britain Speaks—CBR.

8.30—

9.30—Bob Burns Program, with Ann Rutherford and Ginny Simms—KIRO, KNX.

10.30—Lemos vs. Wright — KJR, KGO.

11.00
News—KNX, KGO.
Wilde's Music—KPO.
Crosby's Orchestra—KOL.
Make-believe Ballroom—CKWX.
Carol and Yeo—CBR, KIRO.
Party Time—CJOR.

11.30
News—KPO.
Strand's Music—KNX, CBR.
Easy Listening—KIRO.
Heidt's Music—KOL.
News—KOL at 11.45.
News—CBR, KJR, KNX, KPO, CKWX, CJOR, KOMO, 11:55.

Tomorrow

7.00
News—KGO, KIRO, KOL.
Potpourri—KOMO.
Hi, Neighbor!—KPO.
Stretch 'n' Yawn—CKWX.
Victoria Salutes—CJVI.
News—KJR at 7.15.

7.30
News — KOL, CBR, KNX, KIRO, CJOR, CJVI.
Reveille Roundup—KPO.
Radio Parade—KJR.
News—KOMO, KPO, KIRO, 7.45.

8.00
News—CBR, CJOR, CKWX, KGO
Everyman's Chapel—KJR.
Treat Time—KNX, KIRO.
News—KIRO at 8.15.
War Commentary—CBR at 8.15.

8.30
News—KOL.
Breakfast Serenade—KPO.
Prescott Presents—KJR.
Ann Holden—KGO.
Front Line Family—CBR.
Breakfast Club—CJOR.
Betty Crocker—KIRO, KNX.
J. C. Thomas—CJVI.
News—CKWX, CBR, at 8.45.

9.00
News—KOL, KJR, KPO
Kate Smith—KNX, KIRO.
Farm Talk—KOMO.
Dr. Susan—CBR.
Big Sister—KIRO, CBR at 9.15.
News—KIRO, CJOR at 9.15.

9.30
News—CJVI.
International Kitchen—KPO.
Organ—KGO.
Stories from Life—CBR.
Helen Trent—KNX, KIRO.
Toby and Susie—CKWX.
Top Tunes—KOL.
Ted Steele—CJOR.
Our Gal Sunday—KIRO at 9.45.

10.00
News—KOL.
Life Beautiful—KNX, KIRO.
Happy Gang—CBR.
Mirth Parade—CJVI.

10.30
Bachelor's Children — KOMO, KPO.
For Our Listeners—CBR.
Front Page Farrell—KOL.
Vic and Sade—KIRO, KNX.
Dance Music—CJOR.
Reader's Notebook—CKWX.
Peter McGregor—CJVI.
News—CJOR, KIRO, KGO, 10.45.

11.00
Light of World—KPO, KOMO.
U.S. Army Band—KJR.
Lopez Orchestra—KGO, CBR.
Bright Horizon—KIRO, KNX.
Cedric Foster—KOL.
The O'Neills—CJOR.
Week's Stars—CKWX.
British Music—CJVI.

11.30
News—KIRO, KJR.
Valiant Lady—KOMO, KPO.
Into the Light—KGO.
Fletcher Wiley—KNX, KIRO.
Vic and Sade—CJOR.
Carol Carter—KOL.
Music and Musings—CBR.
Musicprize—CJVI.
Kate Hopkins—KIRO at 11.45.
A Grimm's Daughter—KOMO, KPO at 11.45.

12.00
News—KOL.
Against Storm—KPO, KOMO.
Orphans of Divorce—KGO, KJR.
Man I Married—KNX, KIRO.
Spencer Time—CJOR.
B.C. Farm—CBR.
Day's Hits—CKWX.
Waltz Time—CJVI.
News—KIRO, KNX at 12.15.
Ma Perkins—KOMO, KPO, 12.15.

12.30
News—KNX, CJOR, CBR, CJVI.
Pepper Young—KOMO, KPO.
Other Wife—KGO, KJR.
Singin' Sam—KIRO.

1.00
News—KGO.
Backstage Wife—KOMO, KPO.
Club Matinee—KJR.
Food for Victory—CBR.
Stepmother—KNX, KIRO.
Starred for Listening—KOL.
Gems of Melody—CKWX.
Al and Bob—CJOR.
Tropical Moods—CJVI.
Myrt and Marge—KIRO at 1.15.
Stella Dallas—KOMO, KPO, 1.15.
Club Matinee — KJR, KGO, CBR at 1.15.

1.30
Lorenzo Jones—KOMO, KPO.
It's Topical—CKWX.
Johnson Family—KOL.
Birth of Canadian Freedom—CBR.
School of Air—KIRO, KNX.
Woman's Program—CJVI.
Studio Party—CJOR at 1.45.

2.00
News—KIRO.
When Girl Marries—KOMO, KPO.
School Broadcast—CBR.
Playhouse—KNX.
John Harcourt—CKWX.
Concert Hall—CJVI.

2.30
News—KOL, CJVI.
We, the Abbotts—KPO.
Feminine Viewpoint—CKWX.
Country House—KGO, KJR.
O'Neills—KNX, KIRO.
Mirror for Women—CBR.
Music Lovers—CJVI at 2.35.
News—CJOR, CBR at 2.45.

3.00
Right to Happiness—KOMO, KPO.
Between the Bookends—KJR, KGO
Life Beautiful—CJOR.
Joyce Jordan—KNX, KIRO.
Salon Music—CBR.
Floor Show—CKWX.

3.30
Stringtime—KGO.
Hollywood News—CBR.
Pepper Young—CJOR.
Musical Jackpot—KPO.
Tea Tunes—CKWX.
World Today—KIRO at 3.45.

4.00
News—KOL.
Lee Sweetland—KOMO.
Friendly Music—CBR.
Concert Moderne—CJOR.
Novelty Jamboree—CKWX.
Second Mrs. Burton—KNX, KIRO.
Dr. Anyot—CJVI.

4.30
News—CJVI.
Dant's Music—KOMO.
We Present—KPO.
U.S. Navy Talk—KJR.
Canadian Band—CBR.
Housewives Inc.—KIRO.
Blighty—CKWX.
News—CJOR, KOMO, KPO, 4.45.
News—KIRO at 4.45.
News—CBR at 4.55.

5.00
News—KOL.
Winslow of Navy—KPO.
De Mello Music—KOMO, CBR.
Adventures—KJR, KGO.
Music for Youth—CKWX.
Ranger's Cabin—CJOR.
Birthday Party—CJVI.

5.30
News—KJR, KGO.
Twilight Concert—KPO.
Sweet and Low—CBR.
Bill Henry—KNX.
Don Winslow—KIRO.
Superman—CJVI.
Capt. Midnight—KOL.
Supergan—CKWX.
Bands of Day—CJOR.
News—KPO, KOMO, KIRO, KNX at 5.45.
Talking Drums—CKWX at 5.45.

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Ask Evaluation Of Pandora Land

Evaluation of the city-owned property, starting immediately behind the B.C. Electric store on Douglas Street and bounded by Pandora, Quadra and Cormorant, was ordered by the City Council Monday.

The tract, with the exception of the small section set aside for straightening Blanshard Street, was taken from the reserve list last year and made available for private sale. It had previously been kept off the list as the potential site of a civic centre.

Alderman Archie Wills, who called for the valuation, stated the city had received bids for property in the area but had no definite value placed upon it. To guide the lands committee in any disposal scheme he thought competent experts should set a price on it.

DIED AT NANAIMO

NANAIMO — Mrs. Caroline Crew, 77, a native of Cornwall, England, and a resident of Nanaimo for 25 years, died on Sunday. She is survived by one cousin, Miss Elizabeth Collins, Nanaimo. Funeral service will be held this afternoon, Rev. J. H. Wright officiating. Interment will be made in Nanaimo Cemetery.

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City Council Topics

Bureau Grant to Open Debate on City Budget

Debate on the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau grant will be given priority when the City Council opens its attack on 1942 estimates Friday afternoon.

That action was approved by Mayor Andrew McGavin and the aldermen Monday as they received and referred to the estimates session letters for and against the allocation.

In recent years the bureau has received $20,000 annually from the city. This year, Mayor McGavin, a consistent opponent of the grant, has advocated its elimination entirely on the grounds of economy.

Letters from the bureau asked the council to advance $3,000 on account of any grant that might be made this year. Supporting the request were other letters forwarded by the publicity group.

Aldermman Archie Wills suggested the five aldermen on the bureau's directorate bring in a written report on the question.

Alderman Ed. Williams objected to a written report. He favored verbal discussion on the issue. Alderman B. J. Gadsden sought immediate action, saying the bureau had expenses it had to meet without delay.

Alderman W. L. Morgan said the bills were not that pressing and suggested a final stand be reached Friday.

The mayor again said he planned to put the matter to the public in a plebiscite next December. He said the same in pre-budget discussion last year.

Letters supporting the grant were read from Mrs. Gertrude Burt-Smith, and the Windsor Motor Court.

In opposition was a letter from P. J. Sinnott, barrister and solicitor, who suggested a competent office woman be retained to carry on the "dwindling" business during the war.

Alderman Gadsden asked if the names of licensees were included in Mr. Sinnott's communication, or if it was merely the expression of one man's personal opinion. No licensees were listed.

Mrs. A. B. Marshall, noting the province's reduction in its tourist budget, advocated elimination entirely of the city's grant to the bureau, with investment of the $20,000 in Victory bonds.

Those letters were referred to the estimates committee.

At the mayor's request a motion was carried instructing him to secure complete information on the grant approved in the B.C. budget for provincial tourist publicity.

The council passed a resolution voicing no objection to a proposed order in council to close automobile repair shops on Saturday afternoons. The resolution specified, however, that provision be made for emergency service in the city.

The Y.W.C.A.'s request for a $400 grant for the Travelers' Aid and tax concessions was referred to the estimates committee.

Following receipt of a letter from the B.C. Underwriters' Association declining any responsibility for the $5,000 bill tendered for services of the Victoria fire department at Yarrow's fire, Alderman Wills asked for names of companies insuring the plant. Copies of correspondence on the matter were ordered forwarded to Esquimalt Council.

Recommendations from the Victoria section, Canadian Society of Forest Engineers, covering reforestation of sections of the city watershed, were referred to the water board for a report.

An invitation to a series of meetings on town planning, tendered by the Victoria Parks and Town Planning Association, was handed to the industrial committee for attention.

Action on the Jubilee Hospital's opposition to a Union of B.C. Municipalities resolution, seeking release from municipal payments for men on active service, was withheld pending investigation by the health and welfare committee. Alderman J. A. Worthington sought endorsement of the hospital's objections.

J. Graham Johnson's suggestion to investigate the possibility of securing government loan funds for an alternative housing scheme to the Wartime Housing Ltd. plan, was referred to the lands committee.

The city engineer and the B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd. were asked to deal with complaints from H. R. Brown over the alleged inadequacy of street repairs between car tracks in the Dardenelles.

T. A. "Scotty" Cresswell, as a small taxpayer, brother of six soldiers and the father of another, an ex-serviceman and passenger on the same trains and ships as members of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, urged payment of any surplus funds the city might have to the Lord Mayor of London's Fund instead of granting it to "the camouflaged men" of the publicity bureau.

"It is all right for people to build shelters if they want, but Dr. Manion, General Alexander and the U.S.A. do not recommend them," Mayor Andrew McGavin said as the council referred to the war board resolutions from Hillside and west Fairfield A.R.P. groups expressing concern over lack of shelters and equipment here.

The business and trades development committee was asked to study and attempt to solve the fuel price and supply problem here. Suggestions were advanced action be sought from provincial authorities at the present session.

School accommodation for children who might live in proposed Wartime Housing Ltd. structures is available chiefly in the James Bay, Victoria West and Central Park areas, H. L. Campbell, municipal inspector, informed the council. That data was turned over to the lands committee.

The usual leave of absence was granted F. E. W. Robinson to join the navy.

Five claims for sick pay were approved.

The application of John Sullivan for retirement on superannuation from the city wharf staff was accepted.

Permits for two gasoline storage tanks were granted.

A petition from Arthur T. Hunkin and eight other residents, for removal of horse-chestnut trees from Coventry Street and their replacement by smaller flowering shrubs, was referred to the parks committee.

On the recommendation of the public works committee a sidewalk crossing was ordered for Evans, Coleman and Johnson on Herald Street, and school signs were placed on Fort Street to protect Bank Street students. Items covering sidewalk repairs and guard rails were referred to the estimates committee with provision for an immediate start on $2,000 worth of the work. Total cost of all work was listed at $27,000.

Itemized costs of maintaining hanging baskets in downtown streets were presented by the parks committee. A motion by Alderman Worthington that $750 be allocated for them for 1942 was lost and Alderman T. W. Hawkins, who favored expenditure of $1,050 to avoid reduction in the number, won his point on the vote. In opposition were the mayor, Alderman Wills, Morgan and Worthington.

By standing vote the council expressed its sympathy to Roderick MacKenzie, parks and boulevards foreman, over the death of his wife.

H. L. Campbell, municipal inspector of schools, was appointed one of the city representatives on the library board.

The letter from Major-Gen. R. O. Alexander, G.O.C. in C., Pacific Command, stating authorities thought steps already taken were adequate at present for protection of the city's watershed was received and filed and a copy was forwarded to the city war board.

Five properties, including two dwellings, were sold for $3,400 on the recommendation of the lands committee. The house at 942 Pandora Avenue brought $1,800 while that at 1500 Fort Street sold for $1,350. One vacant lot on the south of Burton between Doncaster and Shakespeare brought $50; another on the east of Forbes between Haultain and Bay, $50; and a third on the south of Market between Douglas and Rose, $150. On the committee's suggestion the policy of permitting cultivation of vacant lots at a charge of $2.50 was continued, with the proviso no weeds should be allowed on the lots, fences should conform to city requirements and those using the property should vacate in the event of a sale. On the industrial committee's recommendation $250 was set aside for plowing and discing the lots on the understanding those using them would pay a $2.50 fee.

An increase of $10 a month was granted K. Reid, repair man in the city lights department.

The suggestion that Premier John Hart and Gen. Alexander approve a daylight display of armed and A.R.P. forces under raid conditions as a publicity medium for the Victory Loan was advanced by the electric lights committee.

City Budget

Must Cut $57,320 For 37-Mill Rate

To give the citizens a 37-mill rate for 1942—one mill less than 1941—the City Council will have to lop a net $57,320 from the preliminary estimates tabled for their consideration Monday evening by city comptroller-treasurer D. A. Macdonald.

The first attack on the budget draft is listed Friday.

As they stand now, expenditures are listed at $2,544,864.28, including $1,106,489.79 fixed charges and $1,438,374.49 controllable expenditure.

Estimated receipts are listed at $1,142,415.28.

The difference between the two —$1,402,449, is just $57,320 more than the $1,335,129 a 37 mill rate together with the fixed $10,000 paid by the Empress Hotel, would raise. The figure includes $20,000 for the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau. No provision is made for a general cost of living bonus other than the $5.50 a month granted last year to the lower brackets.

The preliminary draft lists uncontrollable expenditures as follows:

Debt charges	$562,587.90
Interest on prepaid taxes and bank loan	24,000.00
Board of School Trustees	392,131.29
Police Dept.	127,770.60

Controllable expenditures follow:

Municipal Council	$ 15,000.00
Legal Dept.	7,615.00
Compt.-Treas.	22,260.00
Assessor-Collector	25,074.00
City Clerk	6,270.00
Building Inspector	13,999.65
Purchasing Agent	3,925.00
Wiring Inspector	2,711.00
Land Dept.	7,495.00
Stores	1,395.00
Cemetery	5,910.00
Parks	44,901.00
Boulevards	41,480.00
Pound	1,827.00
Fire Dept.	189,615.45
Street Lighting	37,559.75
Library	41,276.40
Market	5,790.00
Old Men's Home	14,920.00
Charities	39,162.92
Hospitals	77,250.00
Board of Health	17,315.00
City Engineer	23,230.00
Streets, Bridges and Sidewalks	140,953.00
Sanitary Works	64,419.35
Sewerage	51,800.00
Plant	3,575.00
Elk Lake Farm, Park	600.00
Water Works	128,028.00
Welfare, Relief Office	21,316.40
Miscellaneous	381,700.57

Warren Answers Critics on Trees

The City Council Monday lent a sympathetic ear to explanation by W. H. Warren, parks superintendent, of his tree policy in Beacon Hill Park.

But his action on deer, two of which were shot early last month, brought strict censure from Mayor Andrew McGavin.

"If it happens again, I will suspend you," the mayor said.

The larger of the two deer shot in the park had been presented to the Old Men's Home. The smaller had been divided among members of the department, Mr Warren explained.

Later, hearing another deer was ailing, the council authorized its destruction with the mayor commenting that while one "vet" had advocated that course, two should be consulted, as alienists were before an insane person was committed.

Mr. Warren's reply to criticism by F. B. Pemberton on removal of old firs from a section of Beacon Hill, which the parks superintendent said had been done from the point of view of parks work, not forestry, was accepted without adverse comment. A letter attacking him for the same reason from H. E. Landman aroused remarks.

"It's a good letter," said Alderman W. L. Morgan.

'ROTTEN LETTER'

"I don't think it's a good letter. It's a rotten letter. You're a poor judge of a letter," the mayor replied.

Commenting "Much ado about nothing," Alderman B. J. Gadsden thought those complaining had little to do in view of the fact 4,000 trees in Beacon Hill Park needed pruning and only 15 had been removed.

Recommendations for tree work in the park, advanced by Mr. Warren were referred to the parks committee for study. Mr Warren sought the opinion of an independent and reliable expert on the question.

Letters about "Susie," Beacon Hill Park horse, raised little interest.

"Is it a horse?" asked the mayor.

"No it's a mare," replied Mr Warren.

The council ordered removal of big trees from the 300 block, Belleville Street, and their replacement with smaller growth. Cutting of a silver birch on Oscar Street, sought by a resident, was declined.

An elm which interferes with the sewer at 1521 Elford Street was ordered removed.

The Canadian Auxiliary Territorial Service officers training class and stretcher squad will not parade this evening as arranged. The classes will resume Feb. 10 at 6.30.

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

HAVING RECEIVED such a warm reception on his last visit to Nanaimo, Jim Kearney, roving member of the sports department decided to make another invasion of the up-island town Saturday night for the Bapcos-Clippers hockey duel. Following is his report of the proceedings:

In this hot and cold four-city amateur hockey circuit, Bapcos have established a reputation as the hottest and coldest of them all. One night they play scrub hockey and the next night flash championship stuff. Ask Ivan Temple the reason, and he replies:

"I don't know, "it's got me."

Whammin' Walter McIntyre, idol of Victoria fans, who is still reported punchy after that slam by Nick Smith, Friday night, did not travel. Bobby Van Horne, Bapco trainer, said Walter was colder than an angry wife's welcome after that spill.

"They're out like a mackerel when they fall and don't even roll over," said Bobby, "and that's what happened to Wally. He landed on his side and stayed there. His eyes were as big as dimes and looked like plate glass."

About 200 Victoria fans made the journey to Nanaimo Saturday night, and saw a complete form reversal. Every man on the Bapco squad was functioning and their checking was lovely to watch. Sutherland and Euerby played the entire 60 minutes on defence. McIntyre's absence seemed to be hardly noticed by the local team or by the crowd.

Jack Kilpatrick was shifted to left wing for the contest and played well there. Bus Algar took over centre ice chores, something for which he has always had a yen. Jack played wing with Wembley Lions when they won the world's amateur championship a few years back, and only performed at centre when put there by the Nelson Maple Leafs management in 1938.

Buster Stewart, score-keeper for the local games, was ready to take on the whole of Nanaimo in any kind of a free-for-all. He got as far as pushing one coal city fan's hat down over his eyes and ears as the latter belittled a Victoria score. Many of those 200 who made the trip spent much of the after-game evening wending the curves of Commercial Street razzing the Nanaimo fans. The crowd up there took it well, consoling themselves with the 9 to 3 score down here.

Although the game was wide open and the bumps were many, not one penalty was called. Amby Moran had better watch his waistline. It's an all-out effort for Amby when he bends over to pick up that puck. Four of the Bapco goals were unassisted, two of them on colorful end-to-end rushes by Elmer Kreller and Al Euerby.

Superstition is a funny thing. Laurel Harney will wear only that original blue sweater of his. Les Bird is always the last out of the dressing room. Luck or something, they say.

And here is what is called coincidence. At the Friday game a traveler from Nanaimo, sitting behind a young lady, called Harney everything uncomplimentary he could think of. Harney, according to him, smelled like sardines, needed bi-focals, and shouldn't be allowed on the ice. In fact, Harney was terrible. After two and a half periods, the young lady turned and sweetly said:

"Isn't he just. I'll have to speak to him about it when I get him home tonight."

Obviously the lady was Mrs. Harney.

Most of the Bapco players work in the shipyards, thereby traveling for the first time this season in overalls. To get the ships down the ways more quickly, hours have been extended. The boys came right off work at 4.30, Saturday afternoon, and piled into the waiting bus as was. In a cafe, after the game, somebody mistook Dutch Evers for the janitor.

Photo Finish of Turf Upset

Jockey Sam Riles lands on head after losing seat aboard Door Mark following jump at Agua Caliente.

Vancouver Moves Into Undisputed Hockey Lead

Hockey Standings

NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Rangers	21	9	1	125	89	43
Boston	19	9	5	103	72	43
Toronto	18	12	2	98	78	38
Chicago	15	13	3	93	88	33
Americans	12	22	1	92	125	25
Detroit	11	19	2	87	105	24
Canadiens	9	21	2	77	118	20

COAST LEAGUE

	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Vancouver	12	10	3	89	99	27
Victoria	11	9	3	87	75	25
Nanaimo	11	12	1	107	104	23
N. Westminster	8	11	5	99	104	21

Alsab Will Make Debut Saturday

MIAMI, Fla. (AP)—Alsab, last year's two-year-old champion, will make his 1942 debut Saturday, running in fast company in a $5,000 stake at Hialeah Park.

The Bahamas Handicap, first major test for three-year-olds, attracted a field which would grace any race to be run this year, even the Kentucky Derby.

With no preliminary airing, Alsab will be called upon to travel not only against Requested, second-best two-year-old in the 1941 class, but also against Eternal Bull, his conqueror in the Myles Standish Stakes last fall.

Other highly-regarded entries in the Bahamas—a six-furlong preliminary to the $25,000 Flamingo Stakes—include Bright Willie, winner of the Hialeah Stakes; Figgeritout, a double winner at the meeting here; Sweep Swinger, the Bowie Endurance Handicap winner and Incoming, winner of Pimlico's Sagamore Handicap.

Jack Church Goes To Brooklyn Amerks

TORONTO (CP) — Coach Happy Day of Toronto Maple Leafs announced here Monday night that the deal in which defenceman Jack Church was sold outright to Brooklyn Americans was completion of one started earlier this season when Leafs took Lorne Carr from the Amerks on option.

Day said he gave Americans Church and an undisclosed amount of cash to make Carr outright property of the Toronto club.

A bad knee injury last December interrupted what gave promise of being a good season for Church, one of the quietest of the Leafs.

At the same time, Day announced that Ernie Dickens, former Winnipeg junior, had been called up from Providence this season.

Good Old Originals

LONDON (CP)—Thirty-four officers and men, the only ones left of original 200 of a famous Spitfire squadron, held a dinner to celebrate their 109th confirmed victory, their 15th D.F.C. and six bars and their second D.F.M. and one bar.

Take Clippers With Ease, Bapcos Rest

With majority of the players unable to leave their work at the shipyards, Victoria Bapcos remained home today and their scheduled Pacific Coast Hockey League game with New Westminster Spitfires has been set back to Saturday, Feb. 14, in the Royal City. The date is only tentative and is subject to completion of arrangements for use of the rink.

Meanwhile Bapcos have two practices set for tonight and Wednesday evening in preparation for their battle with Vancouver Norvans at the Willows Arena Friday night. Norvans moved into undisputed possession of first place by beating Nanaimo Monday evening and Bapcos must win Friday to regain a tie for top berth.

NORVANS WIN

VANCOUVER (CP)—The Pacific Coast Amateur Hockey League standings today find each of the four teams occupying its own notch but it is still anybody's race for championship honors.

Vancouver Norvans, riding on a four-game win streak, broke up a two-way tie for top place and went into a two-point lead over Victoria Bapcos Monday night when they swept through Nanaimo Clippers to a 7 to 3 victory. Clippers now hold down third place with 23 points and New Westminster Spitfires bring up the rear, two points farther back.

Johnny Ursaki opened the scoring for Norvans after four minutes of play in the first period on a pass from Jack Riley, for the only count of the session.

The locals went ahead 2 to 0 less than a minute after the start of the middle period on a goal by Frank Petrosky and Ken Barker ran the score to 3 to 0, touching off a pass from Riley.

BRAWL SEEN

Fireworks broke at this point and three Nanaimo players—Fergy McPherson, Jimmy Kilburn and Red Carr—were waved off the ice along with Norvans Pete Bonneville, who engaged Kilburn in a brief brawl, during which Carr received a 10-minute misconduct penalty.

Norvans enjoyed a two-man advantage and Riley relayed a double pass from Barker and Ursaki to send them into a four-goal lead but Jackie Mann cut the lead to 4 to 1 when he fired Nanaimo's first goal at the 15-minute mark of the period.

The local team broke fast and ran in two quick goals to lead 6 to 1 after two minutes of play in the final period on goals by Neilson and Petrosky and Riley, unassisted.

A one-man rally was staged at this point by Mann, who nipped in for two goals in 26 seconds, cutting the lead to 6 to 3. His second marker was a solo effort and Toad Klein assisted on the other.

With the game already well in hand, Norvans pulled further ahead on a goal by Norm McQuade, who picked off a rebound to give the locals the four-goal margin.

SUMMARY

First period — 1, Vancouver, Ursaki (Riley) 4.54. Penalty: McQuade.

Second period—2, Vancouver, Petrosky (Neilson) ,13; 3, Vancouver, Barker (Riley) 5.27; 4, Vancouver, Riley (Ursaki, Barker) 13.27; 5, Nanaimo, Mann, 15.03. Penalties: N. Smith, McPherson, Bonneville, Kilburn, N. Smith, Barker, B. Neilson, Carr (10 minutes).

Third period — 6, Vancouver, Neilson (Petrosky) 2.00; 7, Vancouver, Riley, 2.53; 8, Nanaimo, Mann (Klein) 8.44; 9, Nanaimo, Mann, 9.10; 10, Vancouver, McQuade, 14.34. Penalty: Hoppus.

Tie for First In Table Tennis

Jokers and McDowell's Plumbing are still squeezed into the upper berth of the senior section of the Victoria Table Tennis Association, following Monday's play at the Crystal Garden.

McDowell's just managed to edge out Chinese Students, 19 to 17, while Jokers also had a tough time, shading Sylvester U Drive, 20 to 16. R.A.F. stayed in second spot by beating Liberty Cafe, 20 to 16. Northwestern Creamery took the winless MacDonald Electric by the same score.

Scores follow:

MacDonald Electric — Singles, Clark 4, Elston 2, Browne-Cave 6, Kirchner 3; doubles, Clark and Elston 0, Kirchner and Browne-Cave 1.

Northwestern Creamery — Singles, Fiddes 5, Tuthill 1, Tully 8, Payne 3; doubles, Tully and Fiddes 2, Payne and Tuthill 1.

Chinese Students — Singles, Lou Poy 4, G. Lowe 5, Sam 4, Leung 2; doubles, Lou Poy and Lowe 2, Sam and Leung 0.

McDowell's Plumbing—Singles, G. Payne 2, R. Payne 1, MacKay 6, Cotton 8; doubles, MacKay and G. Payne 0, R. Payne and Cotton 2.

Jokers — Singles, Dawson 6, Hawkes 4, Peebles 5, Ricketts 2; doubles, Dawson and Ricketts 2, Peebles and Hawkes 1.

Sylvester's U-Drive — Singles, Morris 2, W. Payne 0, Sced 5, Renfrew 8; doubles, Payne and Renfrew 0, Sced and Morris 1.

Liberty Cafe—Singles, Jarvis 6, Chattell 3, Robinson 6, McGregor 0; doubles, Jarvis and McGregor 1, Robinson and Chattell 0.

R.A.F. — Singles, Bartlam 4, Abbott 3, Wildmore 4, Walker 6; doubles, Walker and Abbott 1, Wildmore and Bartlam 2.

BOWLING

GIBSON'S (OLYMPIC) BOWLADROME

COMMERCIAL A TENPIN LEAGUE

Commercial Linen—W. Johnston 542, C. Markstedt, C. Holmes 490, J. Bell 606, W. Shoulder 585, handicap 177. Total 2,977.

Canadians—H. Bryan 490, B. Hellier 525, H. Edell 521, B. Bryan 497, H. Stuart 520, handicap 291. Total 2,824.

Commercial Linen won two.

James Island—C. Belfrage 537, R. Smyth 521, W. Thatcher 451, J. Thompson 478, low score 158, F. Barrie 323, handicap 245. Total 2,713.

Dore's Halfways—K. Craig 145, M. Mapes 470, T. Cole 473, H. Moulton 524, J. Quinn 553, J. Bonner 346, handicap 197. Total 2,708.

Dore's Halfways won two.

Morris Kersey Coffee Shop—B. Errikson 418, W. Kersey 487, M. Kersey 487, H. Jealouse 438, I. Malcolm 503, handicap 408. Total 2,741.

Palm Dairies—D. Barr 483, J. Young 440, J. Lynch 538, C. Dixon 559, A. Nelson 459, handicap 156. Total 2,635.

Morris Kersey Coffee Shop won two.

Harknett Fuel—W. Hancock 531, R. Gray 521, G. Harknett Sr. 570, B. Bell 344, P. Sherritt 545, G. Harknett Jr. 148, handicap 259. Total 2,918.

Causeway Service—S. Britt 552, L. Tayler 511, A. White 552, H. Paulding 389, low score 544, low score 161, handicap 201. Total 2,910.

Causeway Service won two.

OLYMPIC MIXED FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Woolworth No. 1—A. Wood 598, G. McLeod 383, L. Stephens 417, T. Wood 548, low score 461, handicap 84. Total 2,491.

Whirling Willies—A. Konkin 620, J. Atherton 274, R. Chilton 534, J. Taylor 396, G. Rolston 490, handicap 86. Total 2,527.

Whirling Willies won two.

J. Maynard Ltd.—L. Fance 377, K. Simpson 511, W. Fance 388, low score 419, low score 415, handicap 234. Total 2,344.

King Pins—F. Ranson 549, M. Seible 441, M. Turnquist 485, M. Manton 356, J. Manton 645, handicap 120. Total 2,588.

King Pins won three.

Rangers—P. Horth 492, L. Rivers 508, O. Jelley 504, T. Cole 576, low score 443, handicap 216. Total 2,789.

Woolworth No. 2—Peggy H. 580, Cliff E. 538, Stan E. 425, Ruth C. 501, Harry M. 482, handicap 2 4. Total 2,790.

Rangers won two.

Crystal Spring—P. Buckle 543, E. McCall 258, M. Little 453, G. Inglis 540, G. Dunstedt 657. Total 2,683.

V.R.W.—R. Pelon 534, T. Lipp 647, L. Wells 505, P. Neville 591, handicap 129. Total 3,032.

CIVIL SERVICE FIVEPIN LEAGUE

Motorites—M. Johnston 229, L. Metro 372, M. Metro 163, J. McConnell 258, V. Jacklin 387. Total 1,409.

Duds—Marjorie Coates 293, Gladys Carrin 252, Kay Fraser 233, Ruth Balcom 169, Rose Steele 336. Total 1,280.

Each team won one.

Smoothies—J. Whitehead 211, M. Callan 328, M. Brown 213, G. Spencer 331, N. Munkley 183. Total 1,266.

Kum Backs—E. Couch 228, V. Kitson 212, M. Gray 200, E. Creed 280, low score 151. Total 1,071.

Smoothies won two.

Rookies—A. Doheny 275, B. Hemmingsen 300, M. Armstrong 151, S. Sangster 255, M. Crawford 296. Total 1,277.

Toppers—P. Porter 265, I. Casilio 219, V. Howard 291, J. Robinson 212, E. Bourne 299. Total 1,286.

Each team won one.

McConnell After Cage Score Mark

VANCOUVER (CP) — George McConnell, curly-haired sharpshooter of Tookes' entry in the men's senior Intercity Basketball League here, is well on his way to a new Dominion scoring record.

McConnell, who came here from Winnipeg about three years ago, is rolling up points faster than ever before witnessed in these parts. He has swished the net for 220 points so far this season in 14 games for an exceptional average of 15 a game. He has a field goal percentage of .338, which means he sinks about one in every three shots.

In his first year of senior ball here, McConnell topped the league in individual scoring. Last year he transferred from Tookes to Maple Leafs, and his average fell off, but now that he is back with his old teammates he is firing with deadly accuracy.

Mixed Foursome at Uplands Course

Members of the Uplands Golfers' Club will play a mixed two-ball foursome competition, which must be completed by Feb. 28. Players will arrange their own starting times, with play to start immediately.

Draw follows:

Fred Smith and Mrs. Patrick vs. E. Badminton and Miss Press.

A. C. McGown and Miss J. Robinson vs. F. Moore and Mrs. Dawson.

A. Dowell and Mrs. Hetherington vs. W. S. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Kirkpatrick.

R. Williams and Mrs. South vs. A. E. Irish and Mrs. Firth.

W. Twitchell and Miss Hatch vs. H. McKenzie and Mrs. Lindsey.

W. Allen and Mrs. Bramley vs B. E. Porritt and Miss Ellis.

C. F. Lawson and Mrs. Hibberson vs. Mr. Ellis and Mrs. McKenzie.

D. Fletcher and Mrs. Shore vs. A. Morgan and Miss Shearing.

J. Jeffries and Mrs. Fletcher vs W. More and Mrs. Williams.

C. F. Smith and Mrs. Lovell vs Mr. Rowell and Lady Coll.

NEW YORK RACING

NEW YORK (AP) — One hundred and eighty days of racing, an increase of five over the 1941 total, were approved for the metropolitan area Monday by the New York Racing Commission.

The approved dates: Jamaica, April 9 to May 9; Oct. 12 to Oct. 21, 36 days. Belmont, May 11 to June 6, Sept. 21 to Oct. 10, 42 days. Aqueduct, June 8 to June 27, Aug. 31 to Sept. 19, 36 days. Empire, June 29 to July 25, Oct. 22 to Nov. 4, 36 days. Saratoga, July 27 to Aug. 29, 30 days.

Our word "window" is derived from the Icelandic "vindauga," meaning "wind-eye, or an entrance for the wind."

Services Hockey

Army-Navy Play Tie

Rallying to score two goals in the last six minutes, Royal Canadian Navy hockey squad gained a lucky 3 to 3 draw with the Army at the Willows Arena Monday night. Clearly outplayed for the greater portion of the game the classy Navy club came as close to defeat as possible. Second game on the double bill saw the visiting Edmonton Fusiliers of Nanaimo turn back the Royal Canadian Air Force 6 to 4.

Army, led by Elmer Kreller, Bus Algar, Les Wilson and Sraychuk, made its greatest bid for victory over the Navy. The soldier puckslers were continually launching power attacks and, but for the brilliant exhibition of goalkeeping by Suds Sutherland would certainly have gone down to defeat.

It marked the second successive draw game between the clubs and forecasts a battle royal when next they meet. To top it all the Army had a pair of hard luck goals scored against them.

At the 7.10 minute mark of the first period the Army forged ahead when Sraychuk took a perfect pass from McKenzie, skated around defenceman Hugh Millen and whipped a shot into the corner of the Navy cage from a difficult angle. Just over two minutes later Navy tied the count on a lucky goal. Defenceman Glenn Richardson shot from the corner and the puck glanced off Kreller's skate into the Army net.

ARMY REGAINS LEAD

Only goal of the second period was registered by the Army, when, with a man resting in the cooler, big Grad intercepted a pass and skated in on top of Sutherland to pick a high corner. Kreller made it 3 to 1 in the third period, skating in fast to bat in a rebound from Algar's shot.

The Navy threw caution to the wind and sent every man on the attack in an effort to score. They were finally rewarded when Billy Gibb beat DesAutelles on a three-way passing play with Hill and Taylor. Sailors gained the tieing goal little over a minute later when two Navy players carried DesAutelles into the net after he had made a save. Hulme got credit for the goal. Army players protested the goal to referee Ed Battell, but ruled for a score.

One of the highlights of the Edmonton Fusiliers' win over the Air Force was the speed skating and stickhandling of defenceman Ross, who fired two goals in the last period and gave one assist. This lad proved one of the fastest players to show at the Arena this year.

After R.C.A.F. had scored a pair of goals to tie the count in the third period Ross fired home his two counters to decide the issue.

Summaries follow:

ARMY vs. NAVY

First period—1, Army, Sraychuk (McKenzie)), 7.10; 2, Navy, Richardson, 9.23. Penalties: None.

Second period—3, Army, Grad, 18.23. Penalties: Heming, Taylor, Algar.

Third period—4, Army, Kreller (Algar), 7.10; 5, Navy, Gibb (Hill, Taylor), 14.50; 6, Navy, Hulme, 15.12. Penalties: Murphy, Sraychuk.

R.C.A.F. vs. FUSILIERS

First period—1, R.C.A.F., Gilpin (Winger), 4.00; 2, Fusiliers, Barker (Spooner), 10.00; 3, Fusiliers, Barker (Nimcan), 14.03. Penalties: O'Donaghue.

Second period — 4, R.C.A.F., Kidd (Thomas, O'Donoghue), .27; 5, Fusiliers (Barker), 8.45. Penalties: Miller, Nimcan, O'Donoghue.

Third period — 6, Fusiliers, Barker (Ross), .55; 7, R.C.A.F., Kilpin (Kidd), 3.25; 8, R.C.A.F., Miller, 7.31; 9, Fusiliers, Ross (Spooner), 7.37; 10, Fusiliers, Ross, 11.24. Penalties: None.

Officials—Battell and Attwell.

PRAIRIE HOCKEY

Regina 3, Yorkton 3.

Moose Jaw 7, Flin Flon 2.

CEMETERY BOARD MEETS PAYMENT

Trustees of the Royal Oak Burial Park met their sinking fund payment of $1,615 during 1941 for the first time in several years, according to a report on the park filed today for consideration by the City Council.

Revenue from all sources amounted to $22,299, a figure $1,354 above 1940. Chief factor in the increase was the gain of $1,225 shown in the sale of plots.

Expenditures for the year amounted to $24,068, a figure $5,122 above the preceding year.

Expenditures included payment of the last instalment on the crematorium building, amounting to $1,265; purchase of a motor tractor for $995; crematorium equipment for $277, and grading and development work on section B of the park, costing $500.

Interments numbered 314 and 10 plots were sold in the Garden of Remembrance.

The report listed improvements to the burial park, beautification schemes and noted the necessity of improving water pressure in some of the higher levels.

Hilltopper and a Half

Coach Bill Chandler of Marquette is awed by contrast between sophomores Jack Dentinger, 6.6, and Dick Collentine, 5.4, roommates and centre and forward, respectively, on Hilltopper team.

Ranger Trio Hot

May Set Up Record

New York Rangers' star scoring trio—Phil Watson, Lynn Patrick and Bryan Hextall—has a long and arduous route march ahead before it approaches the spot occupied in hockey's history books by the greatest forward line of them all, the Cooks and Boucher.

It may be more than coincidence that Frank Boucher, centre on that other great Ranger trio, is coach of this one.

Boucher and the Cook brothers, Bill and Bun, formed the only line ever to gather a total of more than 1,000 scoring points. It was the only line on record to comprise entirely 100-goal scorers.

Watson - Hextall - Patrick won't catch up in those departments for years—if ever. One Cooks-Boucher mark the modern Ranger top line may pass this season is in single-season scoring —72 goals. Watson-Hextall-Patrick have 47 goals in 31 games and if they maintain that pace for the remaining 17 they'll have knocked down one of the Cooks-Boucher line's hard-won standards.

ALL-TIME RECORD

The all-time scoring record for one season by a forward line is far above that—102 goals by Cooney Weiland, Dit Clapper and Dutch Gainor of Boston Bruins in the 1929-30 season.

Here is the Cooks-Boucher lifetime record, excluding playoffs:

	G.	A.	Pts.
Boucher	141	237	378
W. Cook	228	134	362
F. Cook	154	139	293
Totals	523	510	1,033

Tonight the Rangers have another chance to take over undisputed possession of first place, now shared with Boston Bruins, and the shattered Bruins have a chance to hang on. Rangers will meet Brooklyn Americans in New York, with Chicago Black Hawks traveling to Boston.

SCORING FIGURES

Hextall, who finished in second place behind Boston's Bill Cowley last season, maintained his one-point margin at the top of the individual scoring race during the past week.

Although he picked up only one goal during the week, the New York Ranger right-winger, with 17 goals and 18 assists for 35 points, remained at the top of the heap, one point ahead of Patrick and Watson.

Still the penalty box's favorite visitor was Brooklyn's Pat Egan, who brought his total to 74 minutes in the cooler.

Individual scoring leaders follow:

	G.	A.	P.	Pen. in Mins.
Hextall, Rangers	17	18	35	21
L. Patrick, Rangers	19	15	34	12
P. Watson, Rangers	11	23	34	26
Thoms, Chicago	13	20	33	4
Drillon, Toronto	17	13	30	2
Bauer, Boston	10	20	30	11
Grosso, Detroit	15	14	29	8
Abel, Detroit	10	19	29	18
Anderson, Americans	9	20	29	38*
Schmidt, Boston	13	15	28	34
Hill, Americans	11	17	28	8
Warwick, Rangers	12	14	26	15
C. Smith, Rangers	9	17	26	2
Cowley, Boston	4	22	26	6
M. Colville, Rangers	13	12	25	14

*Misconduct.

BOXING

SARASOTA, Fla.—Jimmy Desola, 198, Spain, knocked out Charles (Kid) Baisden, 180, Valdosta, Ga. (4).

WASHINGTON — Lee Savold, 196, Des Moines, won by technical knockout from Neville Beech, 186, Memphis (4).

CHICAGO—Nate Bolden, 163½, Chicago, knocked out Al Gilbert, 162, New York (3).

Racing Results

HIALEAH PARK—Horse racing results here Monday follow:

First race—Nursery Course:
All Hess (Arcaro) $25.50 $6.70 $5.00
Black Grip (Robertson) 2.90 2.60
Daring (Eccard) 10.20
Time, .33 2-5. Also ran: Prize, Chance Oak, Alacyon, Crest o' War, Terse, Bold Brook, Tremontania, Buzalong, Betty Leon, King's Glory, Overice.

Second race—Six and a half furlongs:
Flying West (Gilbert) $5.90 $3.40 $2.60
Gem W. (James) 3.20 2.50
Guile (Mehrtens) 3.10
Time, 1.21 2-5. Also ran: White Bait, Say No More, The Dancer, Kind Gesture, Brabant, Royal Weists, Michigan Gold, Rare.

Third race—Seven furlongs:
No Count (Peters) $16.60 $6.70 $5.40
Michigan Sweet (Westrope) 3.50 2.80
Crab Apple (Snider) 4.80
Time, 1.26 3-5. Also ran: Rosemere Rose, Tar Haven, Arso Rouge, Judy B., Easy Jack, Lou Lang, Princess Diane, Catan, War Axis.

Fourth race—Six and a half furlongs:
Early Delivery (Gilbert) $13.90 $6.00 $3.80
Royal Ruby II (Wielander) 6.10 3.70
British Warm (Coule) 3.40
Time, 1.19. Also ran: Buckle Up, Aaron Burr, Justice M., Hotzea, Karnack, Bull Dinger, Count Haste, Armor Bearer.

Fifth race—Six and a half furlongs:
Charitable (Day) $9.90 $5.70 $3.80
Gino Beau (Pollard) 11.10 4.70
Shadows Pass (Arcaro) 3.10
Time, 1.19 4-5. Also ran: Donna Leona, Seven Hills, Curwen, Beau Brannon, Votum, Multitude.

Sixth race—One mile:
Pretty Pet (Mehrtens) $31.20 $1?.80 $?.?0
Off Shore (Ends) 5.60 2.70
Get Off (James) 2.20
Time, 1.39. Also ran: Doubt Not, Dog House, Century Note.

Seventh race—Mile and an eighth:
Sprutewick (Rogers) $135.60 $62.50 $29.60
Gay Chic (Wright) 57.70 21.30
His Shadow (Garry) 7.40
Time, 1.54 3-5. Also ran: Miah, Pure Briar, Flash Along, Mellow, Oo La La, Fox Cub, Infant Queen, Searchlight, Sh'ika.

Eighth race—Mile and a half:
Who Reigh (James) $14.10 $5.90 $4.10
Stand Alone (McCreary) 5.90 ?.8?
Stable (Rogers) 5.00
Time, 2.53 1-5. Also ran: Abyssinia, Kilmalock, Last Chance, Canstine, Sickle Bill, Knightfors, Strident, Close Kin.

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Two All-star Ball Games

Proceeds to Bat Fund

NEW YORK (AP)—The major baseball leagues moved toward the fullest co-operation with the war effort Monday by voting to play two all-star games instead of one this year and to attempt to turn one-tenth of all baseball salaries into defence bonds.

Plans were made for holding the first all-star game in a National League park in an eastern city, Monday, July 6, and the second game in an American League park in the west on Tuesday, July 7, possibly at night. The same squads will oppose each other in both games.

The leagues decided to double the regular season admission prices for the first game and to use the ordinary scale for the second game, but with the addition of $1 in defence stamps to the price of every ticket for the latter contest.

Proceeds of both games will go to baseball's "bat and ball fund" organized last December with a nucleus of $25,000 for the purchase of baseball equipment for service men. Estimates of the possible sum to be raised by this means ranged around $200,000.

In making the joint announcement of big league baseball's plans for helping the war effort, presidents Ford Frick of the National League and William Harridge of the American League said that sites for the two all-star games remain to be selected.

Calgary Stampeders Whip Lethbridge

LETHBRIDGE, Alta. (CP)—Calgary Stampeders, playing some of the smartest combination ever seen in the Lethbridge Arena, Monday night, widened their margin at the top of the A.B.C. Senior Amateur Hockey League standings by defeating the second-place Lethbridge Maple Leafs 5 to 2 before a sell-out crowd of more than 3,000 fans.

Tied at 1 to 1 in the first period, Stampeders went ahead 3 to 2 in the second period and rapped home two more goals in the third frame during a display of clever offensive play that Maple Leafs were powerless to check.

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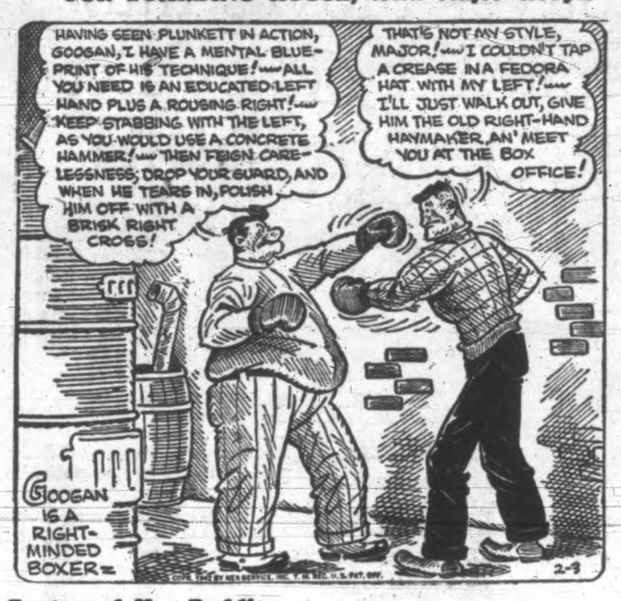
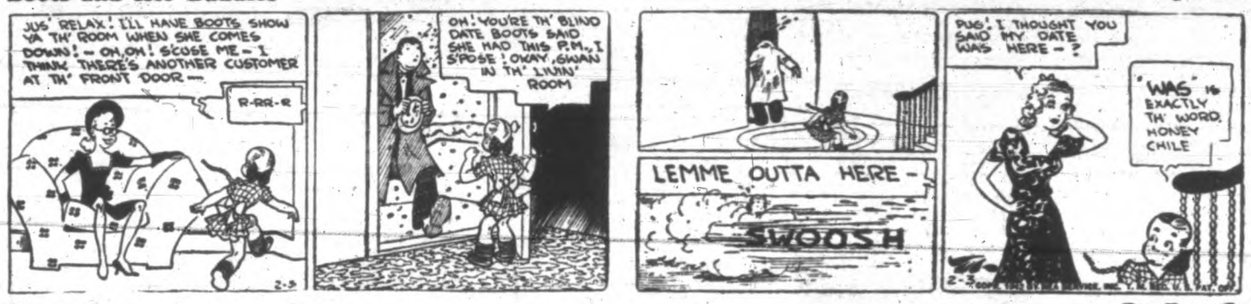


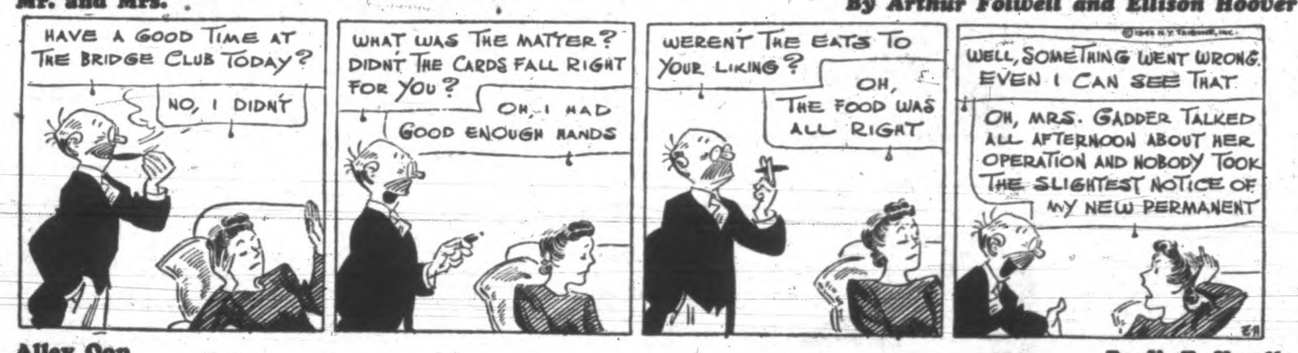
OUT OUR WAY **By Williams**

Boots and Her Buddies **By Martin**



Wash Tubs **By Roy Crane**

Mr. and Mrs. **By Arthur Folwell and Ellison Hoover**



Alley Oop **By V. T. Hamlin**

Freckles and His Friends **By Merrill Blosser**

Bringing Up Father **By George McManus**

Uncle Ray

London Now Stands Above Old Roman Wall

The Roman wall of ancient London does not stand any longer. At least, it does not stand above the ground.

The Romans left Great Britain about 1,500 years ago. Their soldiers were needed for use on the continent of Europe, to guard Rome and Italy from the so-called "barbarians" from the north.

Edward the Confessor directing the building of Westminster Abbey.

The wall was to be seen for centuries after the Romans left. It fell to ruin, however, and London grew over its remains. The present level of that part of present-day London is above the top of the old Roman wall. Since the wall was from 20 to 25 feet high, htat gives an idea of how the land has been filled in by rubble and other waste during the centuries.

Some parts of the Roman wall have been found when foundations were dug for houses and other buildings. A street in London today is called "London Wall," and at three places along its course we may find what are supposed to be fragments of the Roman Wall.

After the Roman soldiers left Britain, there was an invasion by people known as Angles, Saxons and Jutes. They defeated the native Britons in battle after battle. Following their victories, they settled down. Most of the southern part of the island was named "Angle-land," after the Angles. Since them, the name has been shortened — first to "Angland," and later to "England."

In history we find the new settlers described as "Anglo-Saxons." They were freedom-loving people. Some of the laws they built up have lasted to the present time.

About 400 years later, other invaders reached Britain. They were Vikings or Norsemen. Many of them came from Denmark, and history commonly speaks of them as "Danes."

"Ten sixty-six" is a date which is important in history. It tells the year when William the Conqueror and his Normans reached England. William won power, and was crowned king. He was the first of a line of Norman kings who sat on the English throne.

The Normans were chiefly Norsemen who had settled in France. They spoke the French language, and carried that language into England.

The Anglo-Saxons took over some words of the French language, but not all. Today our English language is made up largely of words taken from the Anglo-Saxon, the French and the Latin languages. Most of our short words (but not all) came from the Anglo-Saxon language. Most of our long words came from French or Latin.

In my travels through England, I have seen many castles, forts and walls which were built by the Normans. They also put up famous churches and monasteries which still stand. Westminster Abbey dates back to the Normans.

Better English

By D. C. WILLIAMS

1. What is wrong with this sentence? "I saw a pair of twins."

2. What is the correct pronunciation of "crescendo"?

3. Dhich one of these words is misspelled? Sophistication, sophamore, soporific.

4. What does the word "regimen" (medical) mean?

5. What is a word beginning with per that means "a striking or typical illustration or example"?

Answers

1. Pair of is tautological, as twins implies a pair. 2. Pronounce kre-shen-do, both e's as in bet, first e unstressed, o as in no, accent second syllable. 3. Sophomore. 4. A systematic course of diet, etc. (Pronounce rej-i-men, both e's as in bet, I unstressed, accent first syllable). "Preserving the health by too strict a regimen is a wearisome malady."—La Rochefoucauld. 5. Personification.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson

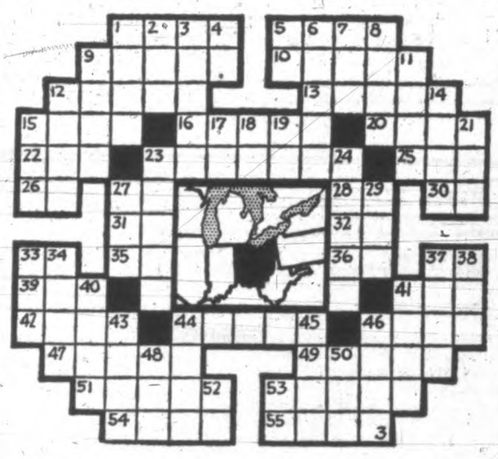
ANSWER: On Easter Island, in the Pacific.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

DEAR MISS DIX—I am 70 years old and have been a widower for 15 years. I never remarried after my wife's death on account of my daughters, as I feared putting a stepmother over them. Now they are all grown and well cared for and on their own, and I am deeply in love with a fine woman. We have really been sweethearts for more than 10 years. I am active, in good health, hold a fine position and am comfortably off. So is she. But what makes me hesitate about marrying is that she is 17 years younger than I am, and I am afraid there is too much difference in our ages for her to be happy. She says not, but do you think she could still love me as I grow older? PERPLEXED.

Answer: Why not? A woman of 53 is certainly old enough to know her own mind and, if she has loved you and waited for you for 10 years, you can be very certain that she has an affection for you that will last to the end. If she were a young girl, I should not advise her to marry a man 17 years older than herself, though some of the May-and-December marriages are very happy, but after people are past their fifties age doesn't count. Go on and marry her and be happy. DOROTHY DIX.

Today's Crossword Puzzle



HORIZONTAL
1 Depicted state
5 Former Russian ruler.
9 Hunter slain by Artemis (myth.).
10 First vertebra of the neck (anat.).
12 Verdant.
13 Modify.
15 Exclamation of sorrow.
16 Farther in.
20 English town.
22 Sesame.
23 Assents.
25 Imitate.
26 Symbol for terbium.
27 Half an em.
28 Size of shot.
30 Early English (abbr.).
31 Old Roman weight.
32 Daybreak (comb. form).
33 Electrical term.
35 Of the matter (law).
36 Written form of mister.
37 Calcium (symbol).
39 Crimson.
41 Be indisposed.
42 Merriment.
44 Characteristic
46 Local position.
47 Sense of smell
49 All.
51 Made a mistake.
53 Exhibitions of farm products
54, 55 — — — forms most of its northern boundary.

VERTICAL
1 Native metals.
2 Go in haste.
3 Pertaining to ions.
4 Onward.
5 Symbol for tantalum.
6 Fixed look.
7 Entirely.
8 Scold.
9 Spoken, not written.
11 Bristlelike part.
12 Voluble.
14 Inveigle.
15 Attorney (abbr.).
17 North Carolina (abbr.).
18 Compass point
19 Nickname for Edward.
21 Born.
23 Genus of geese.
24 Checks.
27 Hearing organ
29 Rocky pinnacle.
33 Unit of energy
34 Personal being.
37 Cleveland is its largest —.
38 Beverage.
40 Remove.
41 Ventilates.
43 Title of nobility.
44 Migration.
45 Drop of eye fluid.
46 Dry.
48 Babylonian god of pestilence.
50 Seven (Rom.).
52 About (Latin).
53 Symbol for iron.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

HOROSCOPE

FEBRUARY 4

Benefic aspects are noted for today. Many persons may receive good news at this time. Business deals should prove mutually profitable. Finances are favored.

Persons whose birthdate it is have the augury of a year of happiness. Children born on this day may be clever and ambitious.

BLACKHEADS

Don't squeeze blackheads — dissolve them. Get two ounces of peroxine powder from any drug store and apply gently with wet, hot cloth over the blackheads. They simply dissolve and disappear by this safe simple method.

Found Guilty On 3 Charges

Albert Miller was found guilty of driving in a manner dangerous to the public, of failing to return to the scene of an accident, and of driving without a driver's license in city police court today. He was remanded until Wednesday for sentence.

Miller struck a bicycle ridden by Elton J. Reid at 4 Sunday morning at Yates and Broad. Constables Samuel McKenzie and Robert Davidson, who were patrolling along Broad, witnessed the accident and chased the accused up Yates, along Blanshard, finally stopping him between Fort and Broughton. Constable McKenzie said Miller was doing about 50 miles an hour on Yates Street.

Reid was not hurt.

Miller said he heard no sound of a crash, felt no impact and had gone along Blanshard, instead of returning to a party on Pandora Avenue, because he "liked driving around." He said he had had five glasses of beer that night.

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FORT and DOUGLAS

United Services Banquet Wednesday

His Honor Lieut.-Governor W. C. Woodward will be the honored guest Wednesday night when the United Services Institution of Vancouver Island holds its annual general meeting and dinner at Prince Robert House. The program will start at 7.

Reports will be read and officers for the new year chosen. Following the business meeting war films will be shown. These pictures will depict operation of the Canadian fighting forces, both operational and training.

Barge Sold for $20

Acting Public Works Minister Herbert Anscomb has informed the Legislature, in reply to questions from Herbert Herridge, C.C.F., Rossland-Trail, that the Big Bend Cedar Pole Company purchased a ferry barge on the Arrow Lakes from the government for $20.

The government has rented a barge on the Arrow Lakes, Mr. Anscomb said, from the Big Bend Cedar Pole Company as a substitute ferry at $8 a day for 20 days.

Tonight in First Baptist Church at 8, W. G. Gamble will address a British-Israel World Federation meeting on "Victory."

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and ask for your continued co-operation in giving the necessary information when called for

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TOWN TOPICS

In City Police Court today four motorists were fined $2.50 each for infractions of parking regulations. A cyclist was fined $2.50 for failing to stop at a stop sign.

City firemen quickly extinguished a blaze which broke out in a woodshed at 2640 Blanshard Street at 2.44 Monday afternoon. The blaze did slight damage, Chief Alex Munroe reported.

Fourteen motorists were fined $2.50 each in Esquimalt Police Court Monday for overparking. Another motorist was fined $10 for passing a street car while it was discharging passengers.

Otto H. Willner, 2808 Wyndeat Avenue, sustained slight injuries to his right knee Monday afternoon, when his auto collided with the car of R. D. Matthews, 973 Cowichan Street, at Vancouver and View Streets.

An appeal is made by the City Welfare for a small heater for an invalid and also a two-plate gas stove with separate oven. Anyone having these articles may have them called for by phoning G 8104. As they are urgently needed, an immediate response would be appreciated.

A. H. Pease, manager of the Salvage Corps of B.C., told city police Monday a red truck, similar to some used by the Salvage Corps, had been calling at houses and the drivers representing themselves as members of the corps, which they were not.

Otto H. Willner and Dave Ewing suffered slight injuries at 2.55 Monday afternoon when the car Willner was driving east on View Street and a car driven south on Vancouver by R. D. Matthews collided. Ewing was a passenger in Matthew's car. V. Tucker, a passenger in Willner's car, was uninjured.

Fourteen motorists, convicted of parking in prohibited areas, were fined $2.50 each in Esquimalt Police Court, Monday. A driver who passed a standing street car was fined $10. Three drivers who pleaded not guilty to parking charges, and three persons charged with wilfully damaging property, were remanded until next Monday.

Roy Lindley pleaded not guilty in city police court today to charges of attempting to break and enter Pynn's Confectionery, 1812 Cook Street, and W. R. Clark's drug store, 1064 Pandora Avenue, Monday night. He elected to be tried before Magistrate H. C. Hall and bail was fixed at $1,500. The cases were adjourned until Thursday before any witnesses were called.

Patrick O'Hara, who, during a scuffle on Douglas Street early Sunday morning, whipped a half-full whisky bottle out of his hip pocket and broke it over the head of a sailor, was found guilty of assault, causing actual bodily harm in City Police Court today and fined $25. The sailor had to have three stitches in a cut over his right eye. O'Hara said he didn't know how it could have happened because he usually drank rum. "I don't remember nothin'," he told the court.

Struck By Truck

The condition of Mrs. P. V. Chaplin, 270 Crease Avenue, who was knocked from her bicycle by a truck at 5.15 Monday evening, has improved a little, Dr. D. W. Graham said this afternoon.

Mrs. Chaplin suffered a cut knee, body cuts and bruises and possible rib fractures when she was struck on Douglas, near Cloverdale, by a truck driven by G. Bergstorn, 1129 Yates Street.

Sgt. E. C. Elwell, Constables John Hamilton and Victor Smith of the Saanich police attended the accident. Mrs. Chaplin was taken to Jubilee Hospital in police ambulance.

Overnight Entries At Hialeah Park

First race—Nursery Course: Porter's Tea 116, Merry Rhyme 116, Halcyon Girl 116, Little Sandra 116, Question Box 116, Fresh Money 116, Miss Gosling 116, Rocket Gal 116, Matadora 116, Yolandita 116, Colors Up 116, Nice Enough 116, The Watch 116, Burgoolette 116, Vale Victory 116, Optimism 116, Fond Thoughts 116, Darling 116.

Second race—Mile and a quarter: Dick Bray 117, Doug Brashear 113, Epaminonous 107, Iron Bar 115, King's Error 112, White Samite 107, Sir Reg 117, Chance Ray 117, Clapoir 120, Miss Pitty Pat 107, Viejero 117, Morning Mail 117, Germanious 112, Topstaff 117, Granduge 112, Peter Argo 120.

Third race—Six and a half furlongs: Spalpeen 118, Inscolian 118, Bo Bienheim 115, Tea Hour 108, Distant Isle 113, Macquel 113, Harvened 113, Satiation 120, Ghost Town 118, Mack Gray 118, Pomcal 115, Zack Day 118, Pilate Sun 118, Queen's Barge 108, Tetranal 108, Army Grey 118.

Fourth race—Mile and an eighth: Histrionic 120, One Jest 98, Gay Man 112, George Lamaze 112, Doghouse 105, Tin Pan Alley 105.

Fifth race—Seven furlongs: Night Glow 110, Kansas City 111, Lord Kitchener 111, Incoming 103, Cape Cod 114, Third Covey 116, Roncat 101, Verse 101, Hornblende 102, Sickle T 118, Cadmium 112, Choppy Sea 110.

Sixth race—Seven furlongs: Big Ben 122, The Rhymer 106, Johnnie J. 112, Llanero 109, Ringle 104, Zacatine 113, Ala King 106.

Seventh race—Mile and a half: Star Like 109, Here She Comes 102, Stem Winder 111, Bright Gray 122, Suertero 114, Hill Blond 109, Belfry Chimes 107.

Eighth race—Mile and a quarter: Big Jack 109, Hand and Glove 112, Wood Blaze 110, War Ace 109, Priority 104, Getaway Jack 113, Attracting 107, Long Pass 110, Mightily 115, Tecumseh 108, Conrad Mann 120, Migal Fay 107, Pit Terrier 112, Air Cooled 107, Wee Scot 112.

Two Victoria Boys in Britain

Pte. Herbert Craig, who left school to go overseas as a military transport clerk in the ordnance corps, chats with Armorer S.-Sgt. D. Fyvie. Both boys are well known here. Fyvie's father is Capt. Dave Fyvie, a veteran of the last war. He is again in uniform, serving with the 3rd Battalion, Canadian Scottish. Fyvie and Craig are with the 1st Canadian Ordnance Base Workshop.

Arion Club Host At Housewarming Party for Friends

Celebrating the redecoration and improvement of the clubrooms which they have occupied at 536 Broughton Street for 30 years, the Arion Club Monday night entertained with a housewarming party. The first of its kind in the club's 50 years' history, the event was attended by about 100 guests.

The feature of the program was the informal talk given by the conductor emeritus, Herbert Kent. Last surviving charter member, Mr. Kent, who is still an active singing member, reviewed "Highlights of 50 Years in the Club," in which he recalled that the four original members, drawn together as a quartette by William Greig, were himself, Mr. Greig, George Jay and Howard Russell. A few months later this small singing unit had expanded into a full-fledged choir which, in January, 1893, organized with a membership of 25, with Mr. Greig as its first conductor. Six years later, when illness forced him to leave for California, Mr. Howard Russell took over the conductor's baton, which he held for 24 years. Since his death there have been five conductors: Herbert Kent, Frank Sehl, Stanley Bulley, W. C. Fyfe and Philip Hughes.

Among outstanding concerts in the choir's history were noted that in 1895, attended by Lord and Lady Aberdeen; one in 1898 given in connection with the opening of the present Parliament Buildings; one in 1899 in farewell to the troops leaving for the South African war; in 1906 for reception to the Duke and Duchess of Connaught. The club had entertained many famous guests, including Walter Damrosch; had had five reunions with the Orpheus Club of Seattle between 1908 and 1913; and in recent years had exchanged visits with the Gleemen of Portland. For 47 years an annual open-air concert for charity had been given, the total number of regular concerts being 119 and an additional 170. More than $10,000 had been contributed to charity.

PRESIDENT'S GREETINGS

Frank Sehl, the club president, in a short speech of welcome to the guests, noted that the club had always tried to keep up the founders' ideal of camaraderie and good fellowship. Money-making was not an object in itself. His reference to Herbert Kent as the only surviving charter member was greeted with applause.

Guests, including many ladies, were greeted by a reception committee comprising Herbert Kent, F. J. Sehl, J. Walton, T. Kelway and others, who were also responsible for the supper and flower-decked table. Mrs. Harold Beckwith and Mrs. M. Frampton were presented with prizes for winning an anagram contest, and Mrs. G. L. Hopkins thanked the hosts cordially on behalf of all the ladies.

Contributing to the entertainment program were Miss Rhoda Walton and Seymour White, who gave vocal solos; Harold Beckwith and Chas. Scrivener, readings; Gilbert Margison, violin solos; John Beckwith, piano solos; and the Arion Club choir, which under Philip Hughes' direction sang two rousing numbers. Mrs. C. C. Warn, applauded when introduced as accompanist for the past 27 years, was accompanist last night. Miss White accompanied Mr. White.

Mumps continued to spread through Victoria today, city health officials reported as they listed another 24 cases during the last two days. Since the beginning of January more than 300 cases have been reported.

Killed in Action

Second-Lieut. John Galt Critchley, Scots Guards, recently killed in action in Lybia, was the son of Air Commodore A. C. Critchley and the late Mrs. H. Weldon. Mr. Critchley had many friends in Victoria where he stayed with his grandmother, Mrs. John Galt, in the summer of 1938. He was a member of a distinguished Canadian family and a great-grandson of Sir Alexander T. Galt, one of the Fathers of Confederation.

Solarium Officer

C. W. Laubach began his duties as administrator of the Queen Alexandra Solarium, Mill Bay, Monday. The office was created recently with a view to lightening the work of the medical superintendent and the nursing staff. Mr. Laubach, who is a veteran of the war of 1914-1918, in which he served with the 8th Canadian Machine Gun Company, has been secretary-treasurer of Chemainus Hospital for the past four years.

Has Strong Appeal

An impressive and pertinent document on the power of democracy is contained in the Columbia production, "The 49th Parallel," which opened at the Capitol Theatre Monday night to a packed audience.

Depicting the fate of six survivors of a Nazi submarine torpedoed in Hudson Bay by a Royal Canadian Air Force plane and their desperate attempts to escape, the two-hour film follows the German seamen across Canada to North Manitoba, to the Rockies and back to Niagara, where one by one they meet death at the hands of patriotic Canadians.

Their first refuge, a tiny village in northern Manitoba, which they reached in a stolen plane, is populated with German settlers and the impact of the egotistic, perverted Nazi mind and those of the simple, freedom-loving, clean-living farmers, claiming the same nationality, speaking the same language, highlights the powerful theme behind the play.

Laurence Olivier as Johnnie, the French-Canadian trader; Leslie Howard as the kindly journalist, Scott, whose cultural argument with the escaping Nazi in the Rockies ends in a fight to the death; and Raymond Massey as Andy, brash Canadian soldier, who finds himself in a box-car crossing the Canadian-U.S. border with the last of the six Germans, all give magnificent performances. They are ably supported by Eric Portman, as the Nazi submarine commander; Glynis Johns and Anton Walbrook.

The film, filmed in Canada a year ago, has some excellent scenic shots of the Rockies and barren Hudson Bay settlements.

OBITUARY

BELYEA — Funeral service will be held in New Westminster Wednesday for Harry Allen Belyea, 73, prominent businessman and resident there for 50 years. He was general manager of Belyea & Company Limited, which he founded in 1898. The firm operated as a cartage, fuel, customs brokerage and warehousing business.

SEYMOUR — George Watson Seymour, prominent Vancouver pioneer and sportsman, will be buried Wednesday. Mr. Seymour was actively associated with the Vancouver Rowing Club when it was first formed.

WAT — Wong Wat, aged 68, died Sunday at the Royal Jubilee Hospital. Wong Wat was born at Canton, China, and had resided here 35 years, 562 Fisgard Street being his last address. Funeral services will be held Thursday morning at 11, in S. J. Curry and Son Funeral Home. Interment in Chinese Cemetery.

SHAMBROOK — Cortege bearing remains of Alfred Shambrook will leave Sands Mortuary at 1 Wednesday for Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, where funeral services will be conducted at 2 by Rev. H. M. Boulton. Interment at Saseenos Cemetery.

STEADMAN—Funeral service for George Matthew Steadman will be conducted Wednesday at 2 by Rev. N. E. Smith at Sands Mortuary. Interment at Royal Oak.

McAULAY — Mrs. Christhena McAulay, aged 76, died suddenly Monday afternoon at 48 Boyd Street. She was the widow of Malcolm McAulay. She was born in Ripley, Ontario, and had resided here 19 years. She is survived by a niece, Mrs. J. S. Paterson, in Vancouver. Funeral will be held in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel Wednesday at 2. Interment at Ross Bay.

HAYES—Prayers will be said in Thomson Funeral Home this evening at 8 for Charles Hayes. Funeral services will be held in St. Andrew's Cathedral Wednesday at 8. Mass will be celebrated by Mgr. A. G. Baker, V.G. Interment at Ross Bay.

DONALDSON — Funeral service for David Donaldson was conducted Monday afternoon at 2 in Sands Mortuary by A. Mace and R. McDonald. Interment at Colwood. Pallbearers: D. Morris, J. Stewart, J. Thomson, W. McKinnon, A. V. Elmhirst and W. H. Marlow.

BEKKER—Funeral service for Mrs. Dagmar Bekker will be conducted Wednesday at 3.30 by Canon H. V. Hitchcox in Sands Mortuary. Interment at Royal Oak.

ROGERS — Thomas Rogers, aged 80, died today at his residence, 1857 Fern Street. Born at Durham, Grey County, Ontario, he moved to this city 13 years ago from Regina, Sask. He is survived by five sisters, Misses Isabella, Margaret and Harriett Rogers, and Mrs. M. J. Seward, all at Fern Street, and Mr. Annie Fletcher, Steelman, Sask.; one brother, William, at Abbott, Sask.; two nephews, Robert Elliott, New Westminster, and Douglas Anderson, Fern Street, and two nieces, Mrs. Ralph Liebel and Mrs. Newton Tribe, in this city. Funeral services will be conducted Thursday at 2 in S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home by Rev. Hugh McLeod. Interment at Royal Oak.

V.H.S. ALUMNI TO MEET

Members of the Victoria High School Alumni Association will have as their guests the Alumni football squad, at the meeting tonight at 8, in the clubrooms at the corner of Fairfield and Chester Streets. Jimmy Smith, team coach, will be the speaker. Dancing and entertainment will follow the business period. Members are urged to attend.

GANGES — The 28th annual meeting of the Lady Minto Gulf Islands Hospital was held in Mahon Hall. W. M. Mouat presided. A comprehensive balance sheet of receipts and expenditures was presented by the treasurer, A. J. Eaton, and passed.

A suggestion for raising subscription fees was abandoned in favor of a drive for new subscribers. Election for board of directors resulted in the following: Mrs. H. Blythe, Mrs. C. E. Beddis, Mrs. E. Lowe, Mrs. A. E. Scoones, Miss A. Lees, Mrs. M. B. Mouat, A. J. Eaton, C. S. Holmes, Rev. J. Dewar and Rev. C. H. Popham.

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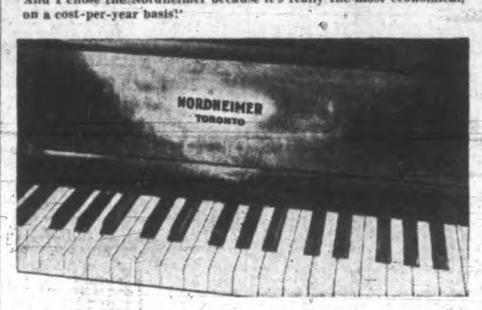

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Consider Forest Fire Fighting

Arrangements were completed yesterday for co-operation of all services in protecting forests of British Columbia from fire under possible emergency conditions this summer, said a statement issued today by a forest branch representative. Government officials and representatives of the logging industry attended the meeting.

Plans were completed for forest fire fighting, particularly in view of war conditions on the Pacific.

Attending the meeting were: Hon. A. Wells Gray, Minister of Lands; Commissioner T. W. S. Parsons, of the British Columbia Police; G. P. Melrose, assistant chief forester; C. J. Haddon, Vancouver district forester, and representatives of the logging industry.

Today before the Forestry Committee of the Legislature, C. D. Orchard, chief forester, referred to serious conditions which his department might face.

Mr. Orchard said an expanded lookout service was necessary. It was also imperative that large numbers of stand-by crews be employed, with truck units equipped with fire-fighting and radio communication.

"Adequate protection against this danger to the coast would cost us approximately our entire forestry budget," Mr. Orchard said. "This is more than British Columbia can afford."

Dominion government help was naturally required, he said.

Study Plan to Keep Key Men With City

Means of retaining city employees due for superannuation in April were discussed by the City Council Monday.

Key men are among the 25 scheduled to leave the service two months hence.

Views were expressed the city would benefit materially if they could be kept on the staff on a temporary basis as a war measure. Suggestions were advanced they be allowed to retire and then rehired as temporary employees in an effort to overcome the mandatory clauses of the Superannuation Act.

Before any definite action is taken the men will be interviewed by D. A. Macdonald, city comptroller-treasurer, and F. L. Shaw, city solicitor, to determine their views on the matter.

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Christmas trees next year may be cut from Crown land, Chief Forester C. D. Orchard told the Legislature's forestry committee today.

Next summer, Mr. Orchard said, his department will experiment with a "trapline system" of Christmas tree cutting, in which a number of bona fide settlers and farmers will be permitted to cut 5,000 young evergreens each on Crown land.

Until now the forest branch has forbidden Christmas tree cutting on Crown land. Cutting, however, will continue to be forbidden in coast areas where timber may be more profitably reserved for logging.

The department expects to issue between 75 and 100 permits, charging $5 each for the permits, Mr. Orchard said. The branch may also collect a small royalty, he said.

Revenue Higher

An increase in the number of trucks which rolled on the city scales in 1941 provided the weighing department and city market with an income $265 above that of 1940, a statement included in the finance committee's report to the City Council Monday showed.

Actual market returns showed a decrease of $300 as a result of decreased use of stalls. The number of stallholders fell from 55 to 47 during the year, the report said.

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13	4.34	8.1	7.05	7.6	12.10	9.0	19.46	1.5
14	4.56	8.1	7.59	7.2	13.05	9.0	20.30	1.6
15	5.14	8.1	8.49	6.7	13.56	8.8	21.10	2.0
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17	4.50	8.3	10.25	5.9	15.41	7.7	22.30	3.3
18	5.16	8.3	11.16	5.4	16.39	7.2	23.06	4.1
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Announcements

BIRTHS

SMITH—To L.-Cpl. and Mrs. W. H. Smith (nee Beulah Woodruff) of Shawnigan Lake, at Duncan Hospital, on January 30, a daughter, Beulah Dianne.

DEATHS

SHAMBROOK—There passed away at the family residence, Otter Point Road, Sooke, B.C., on Sunday, February 1, 1942, Mr. Alfred Shambrook, aged 77 years. The late Mr. Shambrook was born in Herefordshire, England, and had been a resident of Sooke for the last 30 years. He leaves to mourn his passing, besides his widow, two sons, William and Albert, both of Otter Point, B.C., and 13 grandchildren.
The remains are resting in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., from where the cortege will leave at 1 o'clock on Wednesday, February 4, 1942, and at 2 o'clock funeral services will be held in Holy Trinity Church, Sooke, B.C. The Rev. H. M. Bolton will officiate and the interment will be in Saseenos Cemetery.

BEKKER—There passed away at St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday, January 31, 1942, Mrs. Dagmar Bekker, aged 72 years. The late Mrs. Bekker was born in Hjorring, Denmark, and had been a resident of Saanich, B.C., for the last 45 years, her late residence being 3731 Savannah Road, Saanich, B.C. She leaves to mourn her passing two daughters, Mrs. W. F. Amsden, at the family residence, Savannah Road, and Mrs. James L. Burrowes of Sequim, Wash.
The remains are resting in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., from where funeral services will be held on Wednesday, February 4, 1942, at 3.30 o'clock. Rev. Canon H. V. Hitchcox will officiate and interment will be in the family plot in Royal Oak Burial Park.

HAYES—At Jubilee Hospital on Thursday, January 29, there passed away Charles Hayes, 740 Johnson Street, in his 63rd year. He was born in Cork, Ireland, and had been a resident of this province for 15 years. For a number of years the late Mr. Hayes was connected with the construction department of the Canadian National Railways.
Prayers will be said in the Thomson Funeral Home this evening at 8 o'clock. Funeral services will be held in St. Andrew's Cathedral on Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock, where mass will be celebrated by Mgr. A. G. Baker, V.G. Interment will be at Ross Bay Cemetery.

ROGERS—There passed away at an early hour Tuesday, February 3, at his residence, 1857 Fern Street, Thomas Rogers. The late Mr. Rogers, who was 80 years of age, was born at Durham, Grey County, Ont., and moved to this city 12 years ago from Regina, Sask. He is survived by five sisters, the Misses Isabella, Margaret and Harriet Rogers, Fern Street; Mrs. M. J. Seward, Fern Street, and Mrs. Annie Fletcher, Steelman, Sask.; one brother, William, at Abbott, Sask.; two nephews, Robert Elliott, New Westminster, and Douglas Anderson, Fern Street; also two nieces, Mrs. Ralph Liebel, and Mrs. Newton Tribe, in this city.
Funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the parlors of the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Rev. Hugh McLeod will officiate and interment will take place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

Announcements (Continued)

DEATHS

STEADMAN—There passed away at the family residence, 953 Caledonia Avenue, on Sunday, February 1, 1942, Mr. George Matthew Steadman, aged 58 years. The late Mr. Steadman was born in Penzance, England, and had been a resident of this city for the last 38 years. He was a member of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., Britannia Branch. He leaves to mourn his passing, besides his loving wife, one daughter, Mrs. Carl Mathisen, at the family residence, Caledonia Avenue, and one son, William Allan, on active service with the R.C.N.
The remains are resting in the chapel of the Sands Mortuary Ltd., from where funeral services will be held on Wednesday, February 4, 1942, at 2 o'clock. Rev. N. E. Smith will officiate and the interment will be in the Royal Oak Burial Park.
(Please omit flowers.)

McAULAY—Suddenly on February 2, 1942, at 48 Bond Street, Mrs. Christhena McAulay, widow of Malcolm McAulay, aged 76 years; born in Ripley, Ont., and a resident of Victoria for 19 years. Survived by a niece, Mrs. J. S. Paterson, in Vancouver.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Wednesday at 2 p.m. Interment in family plot in Ross Bay Cemetery.

WAT—At Royal Jubilee Hospital there passed away Sunday, Wong Wat of 562 Fisgard Street, at the age of 68 years. The late Wong Wat was born at Canton, China, and had lived in this city for the last 35 years.
Funeral services will be held Thursday morning, February 5, at 11 o'clock from the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home. Interment will take place in Chinese Cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Alexander and family wish to express their heartfelt thanks to their many friends and acquaintances for their kind sympathy and flowers in their sad bereavement of their son, Flight Lieutenant Peter Bruce Alexander, R.A.F.

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ASSESSMENT ROLL, 1942

A COURT OF REVISION of the Assessment Roll for the year 1942 will be held at the Municipal Hall, Esquimalt, B.C., on Monday, February 9th, 1942, at 8 p.m.

G. H. FULLEN, C.M.C.
February 2, 1942.

BRENTWOOD RATEPAYERS

NOTICE

A meeting will be held at the Women's Institute Hall, West Saanich Road, on Thursday, February 5, at 8 p.m., to discuss the proposed water scheme for the Brentwood area.

All ratepayers who are interested should attend.

N. FISH, Chairman,
Water Developments Committee.

Age Limit Raised

MELBOURNE (AAP) — The top age limit for service in the Australian volunteer defence corps was extended Monday to 65.

A few drops of oil should be applied to the starting motor of an automobile every 5,000 miles.

FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of the late Comrade George Matthew Steadman, C.G.A., will take place Wednesday afternoon, February 4, at 2 p.m., from Sands Funeral Parlors.

Members of Britannia Branch No. 7, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., are requested to attend.

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GREETINGS:

WHEREAS Regulation 4 of the Defence of Canada Regulations (Consolidation), 1941, as amended by Order in Council dated 16th January, 1942 (P.C. 365), provides that the Minister of National Defence with the concurrence of the Minister of Justice may, if it appears necessary or expedient so to do in the public interest and for the efficient prosecution of the war, make, in respect of any area in Canada, an order declaring that, after such time as may be specified in such order, such area shall be protected area and subject to the provisions of the said Regulation 4.

AND WHEREAS it has been represented to the undersigned, the Minister of National Defence, that in respect of that area hereinafter defined of the Province of British Columbia it is necessary and expedient in the public interest and for the efficient prosecution of the war to make an order declaring the said area a protected area and subject to the provisions of the said Regulation 4.

NOW KNOW YOU that in pursuance of the power granted as aforesaid and with the concurrence of the Minister of Justice the undersigned, the Minister of National Defence, doth hereby, pursuant to the provisions of the said Regulation 4, as amended, of the Defence of Canada Regulations (Consolidation), 1941, order that after the Thirty-first day of January, 1942, that area of the Province of British Columbia, including all islands, west of a line described as hereunder, is hereby declared to be a protected area for the purposes of and subject to the provisions of the said Regulation 4, as amended, of the Defence of Canada Regulations (Consolidation), 1941.

Commencing at Boundary Point No. 7 on the International Boundary between the Dominion of Canada and Alaska, thence following the line of the "Cascade Mountains," as defined by paragraph 2 of section 24 of the Interpretation Act of British Columbia, being chapter 1 of the Revised Statutes of 1936, to the northwest corner of Lot 1410, Range 5, Coast Land District; thence due east to a point due North of the northwest corner of Lot 372, Range 5, Coast Land District, thence due south to said northwest corner of Lot 372, being a point on the aforementioned line of the "Cascade Mountains" (being the area surrounding the Village Municipality of Terrace); thence following said line of the "Cascade Mountains" to the western boundary of Township 5, Range 26, west of the sixth Meridian, thence following the northerly, easterly and southerly boundaries of said Township 5, to the southwest corner thereof, being a point on the line of the "Cascade Mountains" (being the area surrounding the Village Municipality of Hope); thence following the "Cascade Mountains" to the southerly boundary of the Province.

AND I DO HEREBY DIRECT that this order be published in the Canada Gazette and in two issues within fourteen days of the date hereof of each of two daily newspapers published in the City of Victoria and of each of two daily newspapers published in the City of Vancouver, both places being situate in the said Province of British Columbia.

DATED at the Department of National Defence at the City of Ottawa, this Twenty-ninth day of January, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Nine Hundred and Forty-two.

(Sgd.) J. L. RALSTON.
Minister of National Defence.

I concur in the making of the foregoing order.
(Sgd.) LOUIS S. ST. LAURENT.
Minister of Justice.

Victory Loan Quotas Fixed

Victoria has been assigned approximately one-half the full $9,850,000 quota alloted to the entire Vancouver Island division for Canada's second Victory Loan, headquarters here said today.

Totals by units follow:
Victoria, $4,850,000.
Cowichan District, $700,000.
Esquimalt, $595,000.
Oak Bay, $1,410,000.
Saanich, $940,000.
Nanaimo, $570,000.
Courtenay, $370,000.
Alberni, $415,000.

The quotas for the province and the Yukon Territory, amounting to $62,000,000, were listed by provincial officials as follows:
Vancouver City, $28,825,000.
Vancouver suburban, $2,100,000.
Coast division, $2,550,000.
New Westminster-Fraser Valley, $3,050,000.
Okanagan-Cariboo, $3,075,000.
Kootenays, $2,650,000.
North B.C., $1,100,000.
Yukon-Atlin—$200,000.

WIRING CONTRACT

NANAIMO (CP) — A $2,300 contract for the electric wiring of the new wing of the Nanaimo General Hospital has been awarded to the Mott Electric Ltd. of Vancouver, it was announced today.

Conscription Debate

OTTAWA (CP) — Fourth among the government's followers to oppose its plebiscite policy, Lionel Bertrand, Liberal, Terrebonne, Que., told the House of Commons Monday night he hoped the people would vote against releasing the government from its anti-conscription pledges.

Declaring he was neither a "nationalist" nor a "separatist," Mr. Bertrand, 36-year-old editor of La Voix des Mille Isles, said he did not believe conscription in Canada would alter in the least the trend of world events.

He was not interested in any new party and hoped Prime Minister Mackenzie King would carry out the policy he enunciated in the election campaign of 1940.

Mr. Bertrand said he would vote against the plebiscite, against the amendment of the Conservative party and the sub-amendment of the C.C.F. party.

J. A. Bradette, Liberal, Cochrane, Ont., said conscription was not an issue in his last election campaign because all candidates were against it. He believed the voluntary system, with the right methods, would bring out all the needed men.

OPPOSE PLEBISCITE

D. King Hazen, Conservative, Saint John-Albert, N.B., opposed the plebiscite policy and said that after Prime Minister Mackenzie King said last November he did not intend to impose conscription without consulting the people "I felt that as a Canadian I could not walk with pride among the men of the nations of the world who were fighting for freedom."

Anthony Hlynka, N.D., Vegreville, said "Canada was, and still remains, Great Britain's No. 1 ally in this war. I say that with no disrespect for the aid given by the United States and the great assistance of Soviet Russia.

HONGKONG

Capt. Leslie Mutch, Liberal, Winnipeg South, spoke highly of the services of the two Canadian battalions sent to Hongkong—the Winnipeg Grenadiers and the Quebec Royal Rifles. It was regrettable, he said, that the anxiety of the families of the men who fought there should be aggravated "by unwarranted aspersions on the efficiency of one of the battalions for the sake of winning a by-election."

Capt. Mutch said there are "too many little Canadians; I mean be-littlers of Canada."

The current issue boiled down to conscription of men for overseas service. Many people thought of selective service as putting every person in the place where he could do the best work.

WAR CATCHES UP

Unfortunately there were at most six or seven years of war in which to do it "and in the meantime the war is catching up on us."

"I think I would be the most reluctant conscriptionist in this House," Capt. Mutch said. But, he added, he would take the "last son from the last widow" if he could be convinced such a course were necessary to winning the war.

Even if he were convinced conscription was unnecessary events within 48 hours might prove him wrong, Capt. Mutch said. If the war had taught anything it was that there could be no finality to day-to-day decisions.

Conscription was not an issue in his election campaign, Capt. Mutch said. If the government chose to impose conscription his conscience would be perfectly clear in supporting him.

"But if my leader chooses to trust the people who have so long trusted him I would not help to throw him to the jackals who thirst for his political blood," he said.

Capt. Mutch said he hoped the people would, by a large majority, release the government from its anti-conscription pledges.

He said he doubted the wisdom of any great expansion in the Canadian army overseas and he urged the government to "decide now if young men from 18 to 29 are to serve in the army or if they can make a greater contribution in the air."

He urged the government to make public a clear inventory of Canada's manpower and state the manner in which it is to be used.

ANSWERS CHARGES ON TIN CHIMNEYS

Reeve Alex Lockley absolved Esquimalt of any blame in the matter of "tin" chimneys, used in dwellings in the Wartime Housing project on Colville Road, at the regular council meeting, Monday night.

Esquimalt, he said, had protested against these chimneys, which were contrary to municipal and provincial ordinance, and the matter had been referred to the provincial fire marshal when no action was taken by Wartime Housing Ltd. In turn, this had been given to the Attorney-General, Hon. R. L. Maitland, and since then nothing had been heard.

When this matter, Mr. Lockley said, was broached in the B.C. Legislature, the Attorney-General should have said something, the matter now resting in his hands.

"I am sorry this council was criticized by people who should know better," he stated finally.

TO CORRECT BUS

Answering a letter from the Esquimalt Council, which stated that buses going into the city between 7 and 9 in the morning did not stop to pick up passengers, the B.C. Electric said the situation would be rectified.

R. W. Mayhew, M.P., said he was not having much success in obtaining A.R.P. supplies for Esquimalt, in a letter answering the municipality's request for such equipment. He said, however, that he was continuing his attempts to get supplies.

Correspondence from the Department of National Defence, requesting that Head Street be made an arterial highway because of heavy military traffic on it and the dangers thereby ensuing, was referred to the chief of police. He will report back to the council.

The council endorsed the action of the school board in instituting school patrols, composed of senior students, to regulate traffic in the vicinity of schools when children are crossing the streets.

Girls Not Drinking Enough Milk

TORONTO (CP)—Miss Laura Pepper, chief of the Consumers' Service, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa, told a meeting of the Toronto Milk Foundation that surveys held in Halifax, Quebec City, Toronto and Edmonton showed that girls are not drinking nearly as much milk as boys and thousands are suffering from a deficiency of calcium.

She said the survey also disclosed serious diet deficiencies in iron and certain vitamins. The reduction in the use of sugar will be a good thing for the health of Canadians, she predicted.

GYROS HEAR ABOUT PIONEERS

Archdeacon Robert Connell spoke to the Gyro Club, Monday noon, on "Pioneers of the West," a story of the simple homesteaders who came into the west during the last century and opened the prairies with their farms.

He said they were real pioneers of the west. He gave as a typical example the people of the Red River who weathered frost, floods, dust and locust plagues to turn that district into fruitful farming land.

Few of these early pioneers, Mr. Connell said, were farmers. He mentioned some who lived near him, Englishmen and Scotsmen who were carpenters, miners and stonemasons by trade. However, he said, they persevered, and despite their lack of agricultural experiences, succeeded.

Many of the farmers, he mentioned, came from Ontario and found conditions far different than in that eastern province and had to learn all over again. However, Mr. Connell stated, there was less grumbling in a month among those early settlers than there was among people in a day's walk at the present time.

Sooke Church in Excellent Shape

Reports showing the church to be in an excellent financial position were presented by V. Simpson at the annual meeting of Holy Trinity Church at Sooke.

Rev. H. M. Bolton presided. The following were elected to office: V. Simpson, people's warden; Capt. N. E. Fairweather, vicar's warden; church committee, Capt. J. C. Bowen-Colthurst, H. C. Gates, Capt. J. B. Gillatt, Mrs. Gillatt, J. P. Noury, Mrs. L. Austin, Mrs. H. Slack, Mrs. S. McBride, Mrs. M. Roberson and Mrs. W. Locke; delegates to synod, Capt. Fairweather, Capt Gillatt, alternate; ruridecanal delegates, Mrs. McBride, Mrs. Gates and Mrs. Roberson.

Reports of the Saseenos women's auxiliary to the M.S.C.C. was presented by Mrs. Roberson and Mrs. Slack gave the report of the Sooke women's auxiliary.

Rev. Mr. Bolton thanked those who assisted in church activities.

Improvements will be made to the church during the year.

Where to Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—Charles Boyer in "Hold Back the Dawn."

CADET — "My Life With Caroline," starring Ronald Colman.

CAPITOL — "49th Parallel," with Laurence Olivier.

DOMINION — "International Squadron," with Ronald Reagan.

OAK BAY—Joan Crawford in "A Woman's Face."

PLAZA — "Hellzapoppin," with Ole Olsen and Chic Johnson.

RIO—"Mystery Sea Raider," starring Henry Wilcoxon.

YORK—"Underground," starring Jeffrey Lynn.

CAPITOL THEATRE

When the British decide to move they move plenty fast, according to Niall McGinnis, giant Irish physician and actor who came to Canada a year ago for the first time in his life and appears as a feature member of the cast of "49th Parallel." The film stars Laurence Olivier, Raymond Massey, Leslie Howard, Eric Portman and Anton Wallbrook.

The picture is currently at the Capitol Theatre. "I had retired from stage and screen for the duration," said Dr. McGinnis, and was house physician at Charing Cross Hospital. "A telephone call woke me up early one morning and a voice asked if I could leave that night for Canada, to appear as a Nazi in a picture."

DOMINION THEATRE

Olympe Bradna and her fiance Douglas Wilhoit, are planning to spend their honeymoon with a circus, following their marriage which will take place soon. Miss Bradna has just finished the romantic lead in "International Squadron," now showing at the Dominion Theatre.

The couple will spend two weeks with Olympe's uncle, Fred Bradna, who is ringmaster of the famous Ringling Bros. circus.

Miss Bradna doesn't plan to make any personal appearances. Instead she says, "I'm going to make up for all the circus performances I've missed and be a spectator at every show."

ATLAS THEATRE

Handsome Charles Boyer, teamed with Olivia de Havilland and Paulette Goddard, has the most exciting romantic role of his colorful career in "Hold Back the Dawn," the Paramount picture which is currently at the Atlas Theatre.

Produced by Arthur Hornblow Jr., and directed by Mitchell Leisen, this new excursion into high romance tells the story of an unmitigated scoundrel, a love highbinder from the once bright spots of Europe.

PLAZA THEATRE

"Hellzapoppin'," the filmization of Olsen and Johnson's own stage revue, which has turned out to be such an outstanding motion picture hit, has been held over at the Plaza Theatre.

In "Hellzapoppin'," Olsen and Johnson have made a movie that defies ordinary classification. There are things in this picture which Hollywood has never dared to do before.

CADET THEATRE

What happens when a spoiled bride decides to divorce her husband to marry another man and the husband begins a campaign to change her mind, makes for the gay comedy of "My Life With Caroline," Ronald Colman's new RKO Radio vehicle now at the Cadet Theatre. Anna Lee, blonde British favorite has the feminine lead.

YORK THEATRE

Director Vincent Sherman and leading man Jeffrey Lynn of "Underground," film now at the York, have the proper cosmopolitan background for such a story of international intrigue. Sherman hails from Vienna and Lynn is from Lisbon.

OAK BAY THEATRE

Joan Crawford rises to new dramatic heights in "A Woman's Face," which presents a new and poignant Miss Crawford in a compelling study of a woman's soul. The picture, now playing at the Oak Bay Theatre, provides the actress with a terrific role in a terrific drama, in which she runs the gamut of human emotions.

RIO THEATRE

"Mystery Sea Raider," which opened at the Rio Theatre Monday, provides some pretty high adventure and affords theatre-goers another glimpse of the courageous work being performed by the Allied Merchant Marine.

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For instance, when an intending traveler is informed by a ticket clerk that the boat will leave Victoria for Vancouver at 1.20 p.m., it will sail at 1.20 p.m., as the clock indicates, and not one hour later.

For years the traveling public has been educated to differentiate between daylight and standard times, but this problem will now disappear with war time universally adopted by Canada and the United States.

The new time will be effective in the United States simultaneously and under the new set-up arrivals and departures of boats and trains between the two countries will be co-ordinated to that all connections will continue to be protected.

Navy Club Loses Beer License

HALIFAX (CP) — Ratings of the Royal Canadian Navy and the Royal Navy heard last night the announcement that no longer will beer be sold in the Ajax Club, recreation centre for men of those two fleets and Allied fighting navies while in Halifax.

Mrs. C. Stuart McEwen, president of the club, told the ratings that "Mr. Rogers (Rev. Gerald Rogers), the minister of Fort Massey Church, opposite your club, has insisted that the provincial government cancel your beer license."

(Mr. Rogers said later in a statement that "by the unanimous vote of the kirk session of his church he had been requested to protest to the attorney-general of Nova Scotia against the club being licensed to sell liquor.)

Seamen at the club voiced disapproval of the license cancellation.

Caddy Again!

COURTENAY (CP) — The approach of spring has brought the latest report of Cadborosaurus, British Columbia's legendary sea serpent, this time from Balmoral Beach, near Comox, on the east coast of Vancouver Island.

H. J. Hatt of Comox said that while standing in front of George Ellis' cottage at Balmoral Beach Sunday he saw what he thought was a big seal.

"Then I looked again and about 10 feet behind it, I saw a hump sticking out of the water, quite big and distinct. What was the head like? Well, like the pictures you see of prehistoric monsters. With a thin neck. No, I could not mistake it for a seal. It was too big and what about the hump behind it? The creature was moving, coming toward us swimming parallel to the beach and at one time it was not more than 200 yards out. There was no mistaking the head and hump belong to the same creature."

Mr. Hatt said the creature moved along at about 20 miles an hour.

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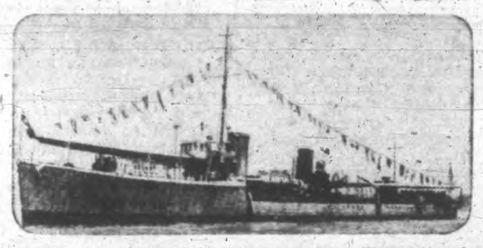

H.M.S. Thanet, above, 906-ton destroyer of Great War vintage, has been lost, but not before she and H.M.A.S. Vampire, below, sailed into the foe at heavy odds. A Japanese detachment off Malaya joined the battle with one cruiser and three destroyers. One of these destroyers was sunk, one other damaged, and the rest went off on the run. Vampire was not starred.

More Women in TCA Service

MONCTON, N.B. — O. T. Larsen, vice-president, Trans-Canada Airlines, Winnipeg, touring the Maritimes, said: "Our entire operations are being carried on with the view of assisting Canada's war effort in every way possible.

"A very large percentage of our passengers are either directly or indirectly traveling in connection with war work," he said.

"Mails and express also have a definite relation to the war effort. Our shops are doing overhaul and repair work for the R.C.A.F. and, in some cases, are actually doing more work of this nature than for our own operations. A number of our people have been released for war service and wherever possible are being replaced with women.

"Two years ago there were practically no women employed by the TCA except as stewardesses on our planes. We now have in the neighborhood of 100 and we are commencing to use women in our shops, where they are doing a good job. These women, however, are employed on a temporary basis only and we are protecting those of our staff who have gone into the service.

"The policy of having registered nurses as stewardesses on Trans-Canada Airlines planes is being continued," said Mr. Larsen. "We have a large number of applications from registered nurses on file. In continuing this policy, however, we will be guided by the national need."

Ark Royal's Captain Before Naval Court

PORTSMOUTH, Eng. (CP)—The commander of the torpedoed aircraft carrier Ark Royal, Capt. L. E. H. Maund, appeared Monday before a secret court-martial. The hearing continued today. Informed sources said the proceedings, "which do not suggest negligence on Capt. Maund's part," will be concluded Thursday or Friday.

Crew Gets Medal For Saving Cats

LONDON (CP)—For saving all the ship's cats when their vessel was torpedoed, the crew of the sunken aircraft carrier Ark Royal was honored today with a silver medal. The award, given by Our Dumb Friends' League, was accepted by A. V. Alexander, First Lord of the Admiralty, for presentation to the next British warship bearing the name Ark Royal.

R.C.A.F. Promotions

OTTAWA (CP) — Promotion of three group captains to rank of acting air commodore was announced Monday by R.C.A.F. headquarters.

They are Air Commodore F. V. Heakes, director of plans at air force headquarters; Air Commodore W. A. Curtis, second-in-command of R.C.A.F. headquarters overseas, and Air Commodore A. Ferrier, director of aeronautical engineering at air force headquarters.

Name Brigade Major

CALGARY (CP)—Major Fred H. Johnson, M.C., of Calgary, who was second in command of the Calgary Highlanders overseas until he returned here recently, has been posted to Vancouver as Brigade Major of the Reserve Brigade group of M.D. 11, officials of military headquarters in Calgary announced today.

Victoria Sailor Believed Dead

According to word received Monday by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Harness, Arthur C. Harness, seaman aboard the United States transport Ss. Meridian, is believed dead.

Harness was reported missing last October when his ship failed to make a European port from the United States. It is believed the ship went down with all hands. The United States Legation, Ottawa, notified Mr. and Mrs. Harness.

Born in Victoria 29 years ago, Harness attended Oak Bay schools and Victoria College. He served three years on the Canadian Hydrographic ship, Mm. Stewart, before signing on with the United States line. He also served on Canadian tankers.

His grandmother, Mrs. Margaret Creeden, lives at 1528 Cold Harbor Road.

Liquor Question Up to Provinces, Says Thorson

OTTAWA (CP)—Proposals for extension of temperance regulations should be addressed directly to the provinces concerned rather than to the Dominion government, War Services Minister Thorson said in a letter to Rev. A. J. Irwin of Toronto, secretary of the Canadian Temperance Federation.

The letter, released to the press by Mr. Thorson, was the government's reply to a delegation which appeared before a cabinet committee Oct. 22 with a request that sale of alcoholic beverages be restricted entirely to government-owned stores.

The delegation also asked that hours of the government stores be restricted to 3 p.m., that all liquor advertising be prohibited except at the place of sale and that wet canteens in military establishments be closed when the other restrictions became effective.

Mr. Thorson in his reply said: "It now is settled and established beyond dispute by a long series of judicial decisions that the regulation of the sale of intoxicating liquors is within the exclusive jurisdiction of the provinces, to be exercised by each province as it may determine."

PROVINCES CONSULTED

Before the government reached a decision on its reply to the submission opinions had been sought from the provinces.

"Not all the provinces have as yet replied," Mr. Thorson said, "but the views of the provinces have been sufficiently ascertained to determine that there is a wide divergence of view between them, ranging from an emphatic protest against any Dominion interference with provincial jurisdiction in the matter to a willingness to consider modification of the existing regulations."

The provinces, he added, "have worked out systems of liquor control in accordance with the wishes of the majority of the people."

MAILS

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Close 12.30 p.m., Feb. 6, 13, 27, March 10, 20, 31.

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Close 12.30 p.m., Feb. 4, 18, March 4, 18, April 1, 15, 29 via Vancouver; Feb. 6, 20, March 6, 20, April 3, 17, May 1 via Prince Rupert.

New York Stocks

NEW YORK (AP) — Stocks again took the offensive in a mild and restricted way today, and assorted market leaders managed to regain some of the ground lost last week.

Slight upward tendencies were evident at the start and, while negligible declines spotted the list, final advances of fractions were well distributed.

Among stocks touching new 1941-42 tops were Lima Locomotive and Transue & Williams.

In the supported class were Union Pacific, Santa Fe, N.Y. Central, U.S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, Goodrich, Sears Roebuck, International Harvester, Westinghouse, Dow Chemical, Eastman Kodak, J. C. Penney, International Mercantile Marine and Standard Oil (N.J.).

Dow Jones averages closed today as follows:

30 industrials	109.99, up 0.52
20 rails	28.31, up 0.02
20 utilities	14.26, up 0.17

Total sales, 370,000 shares.

	Closing Bid
Allied Chemicals	139-1
American Can	63-6
American Tobacco	48-6
American Smelter	41-2
American Tel. and Tel.	128
Anaconda Copper	27-5
Atchison Topeka	34-4
B. and O. Railway	4
Baldwin Locomotive	13-3
Bendix Aviation	36
Bethlehem Steel	64
Boeing Aircraft	17-4
Borden	20-2
Borg Warner	22-2
Canadian Pacific Railway	4-4
Cerro de Pasco	30
C. and O. Railway	36
Chrysler	48-2
Con. Edison	11-7
Cont. Can	28
Crucible Steel	23
Curtiss Wright	3
Douglas Aircraft	64
Dupont	127
Eastman Kodak	134
Freeport Texas	36-1
General Foods	34-6
General Electric	27-5
General Motors	43-2
Granby Copper	5
Goodyear Tire	12-2
Great West Sugar	26-6
Great Northern	24-2
Howe Sound	34-4
Inter. Harvester	50-4
Inter. T. and T.	3-1
Inter. Nickel	27-6
Inter. Paper	14-5
Kennecott Copper	34-3
Loew's Theatre	30-4
Montgomery Ward	38-2
Nash-Kelvinator	4-4
New York Central	9-9
Pennsylvania Railway	27-6
Pepsi-Co's	17-5
Phillips Pete	40-1
Pullman	36-2
Radio	3
Republic Steel	17-4
Reynolds Tobacco	27-2
Safeway Stores	40
Standard Oil New Jersey	40-4
Sears Roebuck	53-1
Southern Pacific	12-8
Studebaker	4-3
Texas Corp.	38
Texas Gulf	33-7
Union Carbide	66-5
Union Oil California	13-1
Union Pacific	75
United Aircraft	31-3
U.S. Rubber	18
U.S. Steel	53-2
Warner Bros.	5-3
Westinghouse Electric	77-3
Western Union	24-4
Woolworth	26-6
Yellow Cab	12-5
United Gas Improvement	5
U.S. Smelting	49-4
Zenith Radio	9-3

London Market

LONDON (AP)—Stock market prices sagged today in a dull trading session, British funds moving irregularly and industrial shares generally finishing lower.

Home rails declined and copper stocks were a shade easier. Oil shares fluctuated narrowly and closed about steady, as did Kaffirs. Tin shares held about even.

Observers said the day was one of precautionary marking down of quotations in view of the war's uncertainties.

Stock closings, in sterling: Anglo-Dutch 12s, Austin A 16s 3d, Babcock & Wilcox 43s 3d, British-American Tobacco 80s, Consolidated Gold 83s 9d, Crown 59½, De Beers pfd. £8¼, Dunlop 28s 9d, East Geduld £10⅝, H.B.C. 25s, Mexican Eagle 13s 9d, Mining Trust 2s, Rand £6⅞, Rhodesian Anglo-American 15s, Rhokana £8, Rio Tinto £8, Springs 22s 6d, Vickers 16s 9d.

Bonds: British 3½% Consols (82½, British 3½% War Loan £105, British Funding 4s 1960-90 £115¼.

Bralorne Slips 25

VANCOUVER (CP)—Few price changes were registered during dull trading on the forenoon session of Vancouver Stock Exchange today. Transfers totaled 4,500 shares.

Bralorne Gold tumbled 25 to 8.00, while Cariboo Gold Quartz at 1.45 advanced 5 from yesterday's closing bid. Premier firmed a cent at 58 and Reno finished fractionally higher at 16½.

United was the only oil trader and remained unchanged at 4½. Base metals were inactive.

	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	3	---
Anglo-Canadian	47	50
A.P. Con.	6	---
British Dominion	---	25
C. and E. Corp.	111	115
Calmont	15	---
Commoil	20	---
Commonwealth	27	---
Dalhousie Oil	20	---
Davies	15½	---
Home Oil	258	265
Madison	1⅞	1½
Mar Jon	1½	2
Mercury	4	---
McDougall Segur	3¾	5
Mill City	5⅞	---
National Pete.	4	---
Okalta	35	---
Pacific Pete.	15	---
Royal Canadian	5¼	5½
Royalite	18	19
United Oil	4	5
Vanalta	4	---
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	---	4½
Bralorne	---	820
Cariboo Gold	145	155
Golconda	6⅞	---
Gold Belt	14	18
Grandview	15	---
Grull Wihkene	2	2½
Hedley Mascot	31	35
Inter. Coal and Coke	29	---
Island Mountain	101	105
Kootenay Belle	15½	19
Pacific Nickel	8	10
Pend Oreille	150	160
Pioneer Gold	180	190
Premier Gold	57	---
Privateer	38	40
Reeves McDonald	42	---
Reno Gold	16½	18
Sheep Creek	76	80
Silbak Premier	---	70
Surf Inlet	---	7
Taylor Bridge	2½	4
Whitewater	2	2½
MISCELLANEOUS—		
Coast Breweries	122	---
Capital Estates	105	---
United Distillers	95	---

Industrials Rise

MONTREAL (CP)—Individual industrials gave a rising display today on the stock exchange, but most other issues appearing up to near the finish were on the weak side.

Picking up minor fractions among industrials were Dominion Bridge, Canada Cement preferred, Dosco B and General Steel Wares. Bathurst A worked a little lower. Canada Steamship preferred was down in carriers.

Bulolo, whose gold mines in New Guinea have suspended operations due to Japanese air attacks, sank to a new low and in metals International Nickel was also softer.

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel com.	8¾	9¼
Do., pfd.	85	---
Associated Brew. com.	16	16½
Do., pfd.	110½	111
Bathurst Paper	14¼	14½
Building Products	11½	12¼
Canada Northern Power	9	9½
Canada Steamships	6½	6¾
Do., pfd.	28½	29½
Canadian Alcohol A	3¼	3½
Canada Car and Foundry	5¼	5½
Canada Car and Foundry pfd.	22½	23¾
Canadian Celanese com.	---	26½
Do., pfd.	124	125
Canadian Converters	16½	18
C.P.R. com.	6	6¼
Cockshutt Plow	5¾	6½
Consolidated Smelters	38	39
Crown Cork	---	24½
Distillers Seagrams com.	23¼	24
Dominion Bridge	23¼	23½
Dominion Coal pfd.	15¼	15½
Dominion Steel and Coal B	6½	6¾
Dominion Tar	4	4½
Do., pfd.	85⅞	---
Dominion Textiles	---	82
General Steel Wares com.	6¼	6½
Hamilton Bridge	3	3½
Hollinger	950	---
Howard Smith	11½	---
Do., pfd.	96½	100
Hudson Bay M. and S.	27	27½
International Nickel	34½	34¾
International Petroleum	12⅝	12¾
Lake of the Woods	17½	18
Massey Harris	153	165
Montreal Cotions pfd.	112	---
Montreal Power	22¼	22½
National Breweries	25	25¼
National Steel Car	33	34
Noranda	48½	48⅞
Ogilvies	20¾	21
Ottawa Power	4⅝	5
Penmans	---	48
Power Corporation	3½	4
Price Bros.	10¼	---
Do., pfd.	68	---
Rolland Paper	---	8
St. Lawrence Corp. pfd.	14	15
St. Lawrence Paper pfd.	38	41
Sherwin Williams	13	15
Steel of Canada	---	64
Do., pfd.	67	---
United Steel	3¼	---
Canadian Investment Fund	---	335
CURB		
Abitibi	60	65
Do., pfd.	4	6
Asbestos	18	19
Bathurst B	2	2¼
Brewers and Distillers	5¼	6¼
Canada and Dominion Sugar	18	19
Canada Malting	36	38¼
Canada Vinegars	6	7¾
Canadian Breweries	110	120
Do., pfd.	28	29
Canadian Vickers	2	3½
Commercial Alcohols	2	2½
Consolidated Paper	3	3¼
Cub Aircraft	50	80
Donnacona A	3¾	4
Fairchild	160	200
Fleet Aircraft	3¾	4
Ford A	16¼	16½
Fraser Company	13	13½
International Paint com.	100	250
Do., pfd.	19¼	20
Massey Harris pfd.	52	55
McColl Frontenac pfd.	92	95
Page Hersey	---	100½
Royalite Oil	18	20
Hiram Walker	45¾	---
Do., pfd.	18⅞	20¼
BANKS		
Commerce	152	153
Montreal	188½	190
Nationale	145	---

Golds Still Sag

TORONTO (CP) — Prices sagged further in light turnover today on the Toronto exchange. Western oils showed minor gains.

A half dozen golds posted new lows. They were McIntyre, Sylvanite, Bralorne, Cariboo, Central Patricia and Broulan. Macassa and Cariboo were down 10 cents and losses of 3 to 5 cents were netted by Kerr-Addison, Aunor and Queenstown. Wright-Hargreaves, Hollinger and Madsen improved slightly.

Nickel was down ⅛, Falconbridge dropped 20 to 3.30 and minor losses appeared for Normetal, Ontario Nickel, Sherritt and Steep Rock.

Dominion Woolens and Dominion Textiles registered moderate improvement and Cosmos Mills was down ½ to a new low for the year at 19¾. Losses of ½ were netted by Bell Telephone and Page-Hersey.

(9 a.m.)

	Bid	Asked
Bell Telephone	148½	149
B.A. Oil	16	---
B.C. Power A	20½	20¾
Burlington Steel	7½	---
Can. Car and Foundry pfd.	---	24¼
Canadian Pacific Railway	6	6½
Cons. Paper	2⅞	3¼
Dominion Bridge	23	24
Dom. Steel and Coal B	6⅝	6¾
Ford Canada A	16¼	16½
Gatineau Power 5% pfd.	71	75
Gatineau Power	5	---
Goodyear Tire	45	47½
Imperial Oil	8½	8¾
Imperial Tobacco	11½	12
Inter. Metal Indus. 6% pfd.	95	100
Do. A	6½	9½
Inter. Petroleum	12½	12¾
Montreal L. H. and P.	22¼	23
Moore Corp.	44	44½
National Steel Car	32½	34½
Shawinigan W. and P.	13½	---
Steel of Canada	61½	62
Hiram Walker G. and W.	44	45

	Bid	Asked
Aunor	138	140
Broulan	52	54
Canadian Malartic	37	42
Central Patricia	105	107
Chesterville	120	125
Couchenour W.	54	56
Dome Mines	16⅞	17⅞
East Malartic	197	205
Eldorador	39	45
Falconbridge	325	---
Hardrock	47	52
Hollinger	950	960
Home Oil	258	260
Hudson Bay Mining	27	27½
Jason Gold	27	30
Kerr Addison	360	370
Kirkland Lake	55	60
Lake Shore	965	1000
Leitch Gold	40	42
Little Long Lac	125	130
McIntyre	3950	---
McKenzie Red Lake	85	88
McLeod Cockshutt	156	159
Macassa	240	250
Malartic Goldfield	175	185
Nipissing	96	100
O'Brien Gold	75	83
Pamour Porcupine	80	85
Paymaster	15½	16
Pend Oreille	150	160
Perron Gold	137	172
Pickle Crow	225	227
Powell Rouyn	60	70
Preston East Dome	285	290
San Antonio	172	175
Sherritt Gordon	85	87
Sisco Gold	46	49
Steep Rock	175	176
Sudbury Basin	160	170
Sullivan	85	90
Sylvanite	170	175
Teck Hughes	210	215
Upper Canada	105	108
Ventures	320	350
Waite Amulet	435	---
Wright Hargreaves	251	253

Wheat

WINNIPEG (CP)—Wheat futures on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange today closed ⅛ higher with May finishing at 80¾ cents a bushel and July at 81⅝b.

Trading was dull with most business confined to locals although mills took a small volume of wheat. It was estimated that less than 300,000 bushels were taken out by all sources. There was confirmation of small export business, estimated at around 200,000 bushels, presumed to be for either a Central American or South American country. Chicago was ½ cent a bushel higher near the close.

There was demand for No. 2 northern in the cash wheat pit and quantities of Nos. 3 and 4 northern were purchased for opening of Great Lakes navigation. Lower grades were taken on a carlot basis for rail shipment east.

Trading was dull in coarse grains with a little elevator selling in oats and barley.

Wheat—	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	80-5	80-6	80-6	80-5	80-6
July	81-4	81-4	81-5	81-4	81-5
Barley—					
May	64-6	64-6	64-6	64-4	64-4
July	64	64	64-1	63-3	63-3
Oct.	62	62	62	61-1	61-1
Oats—					
May	50-7	50-6	50-6	50-5	50-5
July	50-3	50-2	50-2	49-6	49-6
Oct.	49	48-7	48-7	48-3	48-3
Rye—					
May	66-5	66-5	---	---	66-5
July	66-5	66-5	---	---	66-5
Oct.	66-5	66-5	---	---	66-5
Flax—					
May	164	164	164	163	163
July	164	164	164	163	163
Oct.	164	164	164	162	162

Cash Grain Close

Wheat—1 northern 78-5, 2 75-3, 3 73-7, track 78-5.
Oats—2 cw. 50-7, track 50-5.
Barley—3 cw. 63-3, track 62-4.
Rye—2 cw. 66-1, track 66-1.
Flax—1 cw. 161-2, track 161.

CHICAGO (AP) — The week-long grain market retreat was halted today. Prices rallied fractions to about a cent at times on the strength of buying attributed to dealers who regarded the recent decline as an incentive to acquire ownership.

Wheat closed ½ to ⅞ cent higher than yesterday, May $1.29⅞ to $1.29¾, July $1.31¼; corn ½ to ⅞ up, May 87⅜ to 87½, July 89⅛ to 89¼; oats ½ to ⅝ higher; rye 1⅛ to 1⅜ higher; soybeans ¾ to 1⅝ higher.

Wheat—	P. Clo.	Open	High	Low	Close
May	129-2	129-1	129-7	129	129-6
July	130-3	130-3	131-2	130-1	131-2
Sept.	131-6	131-7	132-5	131-5	132-5
Corn—					
May	86-7	86-5	87-4	86-3	87-4
July	88-3	88-2	89-1	88-1	89-2
Sept.	90	89-6	90-7	89-5	90-6

Bonds

FOREIGN	Bid	Asked
Argentine 4½% 1971	75.00	78.00
Australia 4½% 1956	50.00	52.00
Chile 6% 1961	13.50	14.50
Colombia 4% 1961	42.50	44.50
Peru 6% 1961	8.00	9.50
Sydney 5½% 1955	49.50	----
United Kingdom 4% 1990	27.00	----
Above prices in New York.		
PROVINCIAL		
Alberta 4% 1953	56.00	59.50
Do. 5% 1955	62.00	65.00
British Columbia 4% 1937	100.50	103.50
Do. 4½% 1953	105.50	----
Do. 5% 1953	106.50	----
Manitoba 4½% 1960	98.00	100.50
Do. 5½% 1958	99.00	101.00
New Brunswick 4½% 1961	103.00	106.00
Nova Scotia 4½% 1952	105.50	108.50
Ontario 4½% 1950	108.00	110.00
Quebec 4½% 1958	104.00	107.00
Saskatchewan 4½% 1951	86.50	90.50
Do. 5½% 1952	91.00	94.00
Do. 6% 1952	92.00	95.00
CORPORATION		
Abitibi 5% 1953	72.50	76.50
B.C. Pulp 6% 1950	90.50	94.00
Brown Co. 5% 1959	78.50	82.00
Calgary Power 5% 1960	105.00	108.00
Canada Cement 4¾% 1951	102.00	105.00
Canada Steamship 5% 1957	100.50	103.50
C.P.R. 3% 1945	99.50	102.50
Do. 3½% 1931	95.50	98.50
Dominion Tar 4½% 1951	100.50	103.50
Famous Players 4½% 1951	98.50	101.00
Gatineau Power 5% 1949	99.50	102.50
Maple Leaf 3% 1958	76.50	79.00
Massey Harris 4½% 1954	92.50	96.50
McColl Frontenac 4¼% 1949	101.50	104.00
Shawinigan 4% 1961	101.50	104.50
Simpsons Ltd. 4¼% 1951	101.00	104.00
U. Grain Growers 5% 1948	100.00	----

Foreign Exchange

NEW YORK (AP)—Foreign exchange late rates:

Canada—Official Canadian Control Board rates for U.S. dollars, buying 10 per cent premium, selling 11 per cent premium, equivalent to discounts on Canadian dollars in New York of buying 9.91 per cent, selling 9.09 per cent. Canadian dollar in New York open market 11½ per cent discount or 88.50 U.S. cents, up ⅛ per cent.

Europe—Great Britain, official (Bankers' Foreign Exchange Committee rates), buying $4.02, selling $4.04 open market, cables $4.40.

Calgary Livestock

CALGARY (CP) — Receipts: Cattle 300, calves 20, hogs 1,200; no sheep.

Twelve carloads hogs throughbilled.

Medium to good butcher steers 8.50 to 9.50, tops Monday 10.25; medium to good light heifers 7.50 to 9.00; medium to good fed calves 8.75 to 10.00; common to medium cows 5.00 to 6.25, canners and cutters 3.50 to 4.50; medium to good vealers 8.50 to 10.50; medium to fair stocker and feeder steers 7.00 to 8.00.

Hogs Monday 13.50 for B-1 at yards and 13.50 to 13.60 at plants; sows 7.50 liveweight at yards. Common to medium lambs Monday 8.50 to 9.50.

Public May Buy Morgan Shares

NEW YORK (AP) — The outside world—the public—today for the first time had a chance for a voice in the affairs of J. P. Morgan & Company Inc.

Just as Wall Street closed shop Monday, Smith Barney & Co. brokers, announced they had bought 16,500 shares of the Morgan bank's capital stock — 8.25 per cent of the outstanding stock—and would sell them publicly at $206 a share.

Through 80 years of few changes the bank had remained a financial citadel in every sense of the word, with hand picked partners and officers, and only an estimated 80 shareholders since it changed from a partnership to a corporation two years ago.

Day and night 35 former United States marines guard the bank — inside and out — which still bears marks of a mysterious explosion that rocked Wall Street in September, 1920, killing 30 persons, two of them Morgan employees.

WIDER DISTRIBUTION

About 20 stockholders are reported to have contributed part of their holdings to make up the 16,500 shares to be offered, in order to obtain a wider distribution of the bank's stock, an idea reportedly under consideration since the time of incorporation, April 1, 1940.

Reason for the change-over from a partnership to a corporation, according to one partner, was that the inheritance tax could—if a partner died—cause withdrawal from the bank of a huge part of his capital investment.

So the 20 partners at that time became bank officers—ther are only 13 left now—with Morgan as chairman of the board of directors. The officers became principal owners of the bank's 200,000 shares of capital stock.

The Securities and Exchange Commission in 1939, basing its figures on the 1938 income tax returns of the partnership, said Morgan had contributed only 9.1 per cent of the firm's capital, while Thomas W. Lamont, now vice-chairman of the board, had contributed four times as much.

George Whitney, the bank president, challenged the figures, but refused to give what he said were the "correct percentages."

Esquimalt A.R.P. Lists Sand Dumps

Esquimalt A.R.P. will start a first aid class Thursday at 8, and each following Thursday at the same time for eight weeks. Classes will be held at the Municipal Hall. F. Freeman of the St. John Ambulance Association will be the instructor.

Another class will be started as soon as an instructor can be obtained. The personnel of the class is almost complete, but anyone wishing to do so may still register for it by applying to the nearest warden, or A.R.P. headquarters at the Municipal Hall.

Many persons have registered for anti-gas course, and this class will be held at the Municipal Hall commencing Feb. 17, at 8. A. Jarvie, superintendent St. John Amublance Brigade, will instruct. Four lectures will be given, and they will be held at the same place each following Tuesday at the same time. Wardens and prospective wardens may still enroll for this class.

At a recent meeting of the leaders of A.R.P. services in Esquimalt concern was expressed with regard to children under school age who may be away from home and alone during a possible emergency, when they may be injured or become lost. It was suggested that some means of identification be carried by such children. Parents can help themselves and the authorities if they see that this is done. A white linen label with the name and address written on it could be sewn on an undergarment.

Sand has been dumped at the following additional places:

Craigflower and Lampson, Grenville and Effingham, Armit and Munro, Craddock and Grafton, Comerford and Lyall, Sturdee and Lyall, Fraser and Juno, Joffre and Lyall, Lampson and Bewdley, Gore and Head, Dunsmuir and Esquimalt, Clent and Anson, Dunsmuir and Head, Admirals and Bewdley, Constance south, near the sea; Admirals, near Indian reserve; Old Esquimalt, near crest of hill; Esquimalt near Thoburn Garage.

Residents are advised to provide themselves with two buckets of sand from these dumps for fighting fire from possible incendiary bombs.